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GRAHAM GIRL IS CAMP HEAD

LOIS DAKAN PRESIDENT OF CAMP HOLATCHAWAY.

ENROLLMENT ABOUT 75

Humorous Publication, Movies, and "Stunt Night" Liven Up Activities at 4-H Club Outing Here.

Lois Dakan of Graham is president of Camp Holatchaway. She was chosen at the organization of the camp late yesterday. The 4-H club camp this year is under an organization of self government. Other officers are: Frances Smith, secretary; Everett Brown, boys' chairman; Marjorie Bennett, girls' chairman; and Ray Gaddy, Eugene Moore, Everett Brown, Belana Carter, Marjorie Bennett, Viola Barrett, Francis Smith, Lois Dakan, Roy McIntosh, and Albert Ralf, cabin captains.

The enrollment at Camp Holatchaway has swelled to more than seventy-five. Yesterday afternoon and this morning, boys and girls from 4-H clubs in Nodaway, Holt, and Atchison county streamed into the camp, which is being held at the tourist's park, and now all of the twelve College cottages which line the drive through the camp are filled with youngsters who persist in being up and doing long before reveille sounds at 6 o'clock in the morning.

Atchison County leads in enrollment at the camp with twenty-eight boys and girls. Nodaway County is second with twenty-two, and Holt County is third with seven members.

Wednesday night will be camp stunt night. At this time, the occupants of each cabin will give a stunt in front of the campfire. The public is invited to attend this function. Tonight there will be a picture show for the club members.

Following is the daily schedule for Camp Holatchaway:

6:00 a. m., Reveille.
6:30 a. m., Setting Up Exercises.
7:00 a. m., Mess Call.
7:30 a. m., Police-up Quarters.
8:00 a. m., Girls' Swimming; Boys Stock Judging.
10:00 a. m., Girls' Handwork; Boys' Swim.
12 m., Mess.
1:00 p. m., Rest Period.
2:00 p. m., Girls' Games; Boys' Baseball.
3:00 p. m., Girls Swim; Boys Swim.
4:00 p. m., Girls' Home Nursing; Boys Keeping Fit.
6:00 p. m., Mess Call.
7:00 p. m., Movies.

A daily mimiographed newspaper, "The Holatchaway High Binder" is being published by Mrs. Mary Paxton Keeley, in charge of the girls' recreation, and Miss Mayme Heflin, secretary to J. Ross Fleetwood, county extension agent. The paper is a novel affair and affords much amusement.

The members from Atchison County are: Everett Brown, Donald Barnhardt, Virginia McNeal, Naomi Brindle, Belva Carder, Watson; Lucile and Josephine McMillen, Hallie Graves, Louise Burke, and Richard Burke, Irish Grove; Allen McMillen, Blanchard; Madeline Cook, Tarkio; Raymond, James, Helen and Anna McIntosh, Byron and Wilbur Stevenson, Burton, Iola, and Viola Barrett, and J. Ed Bilby, jr., Mt. Hope; Lillian Stapel, Rock Port; Dale Steck, Tarkio; Irwin Rolf, Albert and Elmer Rolf, and Lee Broerman, Westboro.

The Nodaway County club members are: Martha Marie Fleming, Ivan Keller, Frances Mowry, Eula and Lola Acklin, Marjorie Bennett, Elizabeth Noblet, Edwin Goodpasture, Ralph Eckles, Edwin Geyer, Roy Gaddy, John Noblet, Albert Sipes, Raymond Crater, Xetah Kelley, Lois Dakan, Marion Dakan, Max Wray, Donald Wray, Eugene Moore.

Holt County members are: Corwin Pollock, Clinton R. Meyer, Augusta Young, Dorothy Mills, Lenore Loin, Agnes McCoy and Frances Smith.

Section in Missouri Damaged by Drought

Fredericktown, Mo., Aug. 10.—The longest drought in many years was broken here recently. The rainfall was the first since April in this vicinity. Much corn in the county is a total failure, pastures are dried up, and meadows of young grass are dead. The rain did much good but the drought damage is irreparable.

To Make Plans for Free Bridge at Rulo

Several From Maryville Planning to Attend Meeting at St. Joseph C. of C. Office Thursday.

An association to inaugurate a campaign for a free bridge across the Missouri river at Rulo, Neb., will be formed at the St. Joseph Chamber of Commerce rooms Thursday, according to a letter received today by D. A Caldwell, secretary of the Maryville Chamber of Commerce

Several from Maryville are planning to attend the meeting which will begin at 10 o'clock in the morning

A free bridge across the Missouri river at Rulo has been advocated for some time and it is believed that this will be accomplished in a short time.

ROBBER INTO TWO HOUSES

IRA KELLEY AND J. L. PARTRIDGE LOSE CASH.

THROUGH OPEN DOORS

Hot Night Aids Intruder in Gaining Entrance.—Officers Believe It is "Local Talent."

Two houses, those of Ira Kelley, 816 South Buchanan street, and J. L. Partridge, 706 South Buchanan street, were entered some time during last night. At the Kelley home, $35 in money was taken and at the Partridge home some $5 or $6 was taken.

Entrance to the Kelley home was secured by opening a screen which was not hooked and through a door which had been left open. The money was taken from Kelley's trousers, which were at the foot of the bed in which he was sleeping. Nothing else was taken from this house.

At the Partridge house, the screen was unhooked by the use of a wire, and the door was open. The money here was taken from a purse which was in the hip pocket of a pair of trousers which Partridge also had left at the foot of his bed in an upstairs bedroom. The robber, after taking the money, put the purse back into a side pocket of the trousers. A watch was taken out of a small pocket in the trousers but the robber evidently was seeking only money, as the watch was left. Entrance to the Partridge home was secured through an east door and the robber left through a north door, as both screens were found open this morning.

A purse containing the initials "O. P. F." was found under the banister on the porch of the residence of Bert Null, living the first house north of Partridge, this morning. The purse is in the possession of Barney Dougan, city marshal. It was thought the person entering the Kelley and Partridge houses was scared away by a dog at the Null house.

Several houses have been entered in Maryville during this summer. The city authorities, assisted by Sheriff Lowell B. Campbell, have no clues, but it is thought that local talent is responsible.

Yesterday Hottest Since August, 1918

At That Time, Mercury In J. R. Brink's Thermometer Registered 110— 103 Here Yesterday.

Yesterday was the hottest day in Maryville since August 4, 1918 when the mercury in J. R. Brink's thermometer registered 110 degrees. The highest temperature yesterday afternoon was 103, Mr. Brink said. A year ago yesterday, the mercury stood at 89. A several-degree drop was registered today.

Brunswick Panathrope to Be Demonstrated

A public demonstration of the Brunswick Panatrope, new musical instrument, will be given at the band stand in the courthouse yard from 8 to 9 o'clock Thursday night. The makers of the machine claim for it a phenomenal volume and tone. The demonstration will consist of a varied program of band, orchestra and vocal selections.

1,000 Merchants Are Expected at Meeting

Kansas City, Aug. 10.—One thousand retailers of the Southwest are expected to attend the meeting of the Southwest Retail Merchants Association, which opens here today for a four-day convention.

CAN'T OBTAIN GOOD LIQUOR

ALL CONTAINS POISON, SPEAKER DECLARES.

MAKES BIG SURVEY

Employed By Curtis Publishing Co. To Report Existing Prohibition Conditions—Chautauqua Ends Tomorrow.

Two talks on prohibition and concerts by the famous Fink's Hussars made up the Chautauqua program yesterday.

The musicians played a number of military selections which made the spinal column tingle and the heart beat a little faster. For who could not revel in marches, so stirring as those played yesterday? The organization was a good one and the audience seemed well pleased.

This afternoon, Geoffrey F. Morgan discussed the "Problem of Leisure Time." The comedy success, "So This Is London," will be given tonight and the advance sale indicates a record crowd.

Tomorrow is the closing day of the Chautauqua. The Grosjean Company will give a short program in the afternoon and this will be followed by a pageant by the children, "America Triumphant." The Grosjean Company will furnish the prelude tomorrow night after which the pictures taken here on the opening day of the Chautauqua will be shown. The five-reel movie "The Home Town" also will be shown as the closing number of the program.

Alex B. MacDonald, who made a nation-wide survey for the Curtis Publishing Co., publishers of the Saturdey Evening Post, Ladies Home Journal and Country Gentleman, yesterday told of the actual benefits of prohibition, economically and industrially. His speech was not propaganda for the wets or the drys but merely a report of conditions as he found them in various sections of the country.

"Choose Your Poison" was the suggestive topic of Mr. MacDonald's lecture last night. As might be expected, it referred to the numerous brands of hooteh sold illegally throughout the United States. If any person can drink the stuff after hearing last night's address, he must have little regard for his life and a stomach that is copper lined.

Mr. MacDonald stated that he was instructed by the Curtis Publishing Co. to go everywhere and buy every sort of beer, wine, whisky, rum and gin that he could possibly find and send the samples in for analysis by efficient chemists. He went from coast to coast and associated with every class of people from beggars to millionaires. He thus secured several hundred samples and of all that number analyzed, there was not one that did not contain rank poison, and ninety percent of all liquors secured were made from denatured alcohol, which is prepared under supervision of the government for industrial purposes and is made unfit to drink by the formulas for preparing this denatured alcohol, all of them poisons. The alcohol is made first in these government controlled distilleries from raw Jamaica or Cuban molasses and then is destroyed for beverages purposes by putting in these poisons. How do the bootleggers get it? Industrial alcohol diverted.

Manufacturing concerns all over the country buy this olcohol to use in manufactures and some of them buy more than they need and then sell it to the bootleggers at a profit and they in turn undertake to make it fit to drink by redistilling, the theory being that only the alcohol vaporises and that the poisons are thus taken out, but Mr. MacDonald said that the best chemists state that it is impossible to get the poison all out. Even if redistilled fifty times there would still be some poison left in. The bootleggers and moonshiners distill it only once and usually in the crudest way. As there are forty-four different kinds of poisons used in the alcohol, none but the most expert chemists can tell what kind of poison is in any particular sample. Some of these poisons vaporize at the same or a lower temperature than the alcohol.

Government officials who have collected and tested 85,000 samples of bootleg liquor or other illicit liquor and tested the same, state that ninety-two percent of all the liquors thus secured are made of denatured alcohol, all but one percent contain poison and

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Three Offices to Be Decided by Lot

Candidates in Dade, Franklin and Scott Counties Tie and State Attorney-General Makes Ruling.

Jefferson City, Aug. 10.—Flipping coins, drawing straws, or some other method, will have to settle a tie of candidates for various county offices in Dade, Franklin and Scott counties, according to an opinion issued late yesterday by Attorney General N. T. Gentry.

In last week's state primary election there was a tie for the office of probate judge in Dade county; for county clerk in Franklin county, and for circuit clerk in Scott county. The prosecuting attorneys of the counties asked the attorney general for advice as to how winners should be selected.

The attorney general's opinion cited section 4849 of the revised statutes of Missouri, 1919, which provides that in case of a tie vote, "the tie shall be determined by lot by the canvassers." It would be legal to adopt any method to determine the question.

IN CHARGE OF FAIR RECEIPTS

FOUR MARYVILLE MEN APPOINTED BY R. P. HOSMER.

BIG CREW IS USED

C. D. Bellows Has Been Head of Association for Several Years—Event Will Start Sunday.

Three Maryville men will have charge of the office of the admission department of the Missouri State Fair this year and a fourth will be at the head of the auditing department, R. P. Hosmer, superintendent of the admission department of the state fair, announced today.

L. B. Campbell, Albert Kuchs and Burt Rowley will be in the admission department while D. E. Hotchkin will direct the auditing. These men will leave the latter part of the week for Sedalia. Mr. Hosmer went today to make final arrangements in the office.

The fair at Sedalia opens Sunday and will continue through next week. During the last few years, the total receipts have been averaging from $50,000 to $60,000.

This is the fifth year that Mr. Hosmer has been superintendent of the admission department. C. D. Bellows has been president of the association for some time and holds this position again this year.

The admission department is in charge of all outside admission gates, gates to the grandstand and all shows under the management of the fair association. Mr. Hosmer uses a crew of from 100 to 110 men each year.

Harry A. Leamer will be superintendent of the grandstand this year.

Present indications point to an excellent fair, Mr. Bellows said. A large number of entries has already been received. It is believed that the livestock show this year will be as good as ever, especially in the cattle division.

All So Mr. Dempsey and Mr. Tunney May Fight

Present Champion And Challenger Fix Up Method By Which License Can Be Secured For Bout.

New York, Aug. 10.—After a wild day of sensational announcements and contradictions and after deciding that Jack Dempsey must go back before it at its next meeting with a formal agreement to meet Gene Tunny, he shall then be granted a license by Col. John J. Phelan, the gentleman responsible for today's conference.

Whatever the Colonel may have told the fighters and their managers in private, the fact remained, however, that he himself sized up the situation to newspaper men something like this:

In order to get a license from the commission, Dempsey must first present a formal contract agreeing to defend his title but at the same time the Colonel pointed out Dempsey must first get a license before he can sign a contract.

It was understood the boys will oblige the Colonel by first presenting an unsigned contract and duly signing it after getting a license.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Corwin returned last night from Kansas City where they have been spending a few days. Miss Mae Corwin remained for a three weeks' visit with Miss Madge Boyd.

START DRIVE FOR BACKERS

NUMBER OF GUARANTORS FOR 1927 CHAUTAUQUA SECURED.

COMMITTEE SELECTED

Program Next Year Would Be In Six Days With Option of Sunday Program by Local Committee.

Plans for a 1927 Chautauqua under the Redpath-Vawter management were inaugurated at the afternoon session of the local Chautauqua yesterday. Although plans have just been laid and no great effort has been made to secure persons to underwrite the project, indications seem favorable that Redpath-Vawter will again pitch its big tent in Maryville in the summer of 1927.

The local committee was selected at the beginning of the program last night. It is made up of seven men and two women: John Mutz, Jonathan Stark, L. L. St. Clair, John Graves, Arch Frank, J. D. Richey, the Rev. R. A. Mitchell, and Mrs. Karl Zimmermann and Mrs. Charles Gaugh.

This committee was chosen on the recommendation of a nominating committee composed of the Rev. R. E. Musgrave, W. A. White, and Mrs. R. C. Person.

A meeting of the 1927 committee will be held at the Chautauqua grounds tonight. At this time, permanent organization will be formed, and plans will be laid to complete the guarantee list.

At noon today some fifty names had been placed on the list. Most of these names were secured last night after the program, as the audience passed from the tent.

L. L. St. Clair, chairman of this year's committee said today that he felt confident that Maryville would recontract. The proposition next year is for a six-day Chautauqua with the option of a Sunday program provided by the local committee. The consideration is $1,685 compared to a guarantee of $1,785 for this year.

Those who had signed the guarantee list at noon today were:

L. L. St. Clair, Leslie G. Somerville, L. P. Colvin, J. P. Price, C. D. Allen, William Trullinger, W. A. White, C. M. Price, William Everhart, Anna L. Everhart, the Rev. R. E. Musgrave, R. M. Evans, W. F. Chaves, W. L. Mapel, Wilbur Allen, Arch Frank.

John F. Graves, A. T. Estes, J. B. Whitehead, Mrs. J. T. Whitehead, Charles Tebow, J. O. Miller, Mrs. S. J. Donahue, Jonathan Stark, E. M. Houchens, Walter Dickie, Harry A. Price, Harlan Hunter, Thomas O. Williams, John G. Mutz, Mrs. Charles Gaugh.

Hugh Strong, Ross A. Scott, J. W. Qualls, S. J. Donahue, John Jones, J. S. C. Spickerman, Gertrude Wray, A. J. Cauffield, J. W. Cornell, J. Ross Fleetwood, H. L. Raines, C. R. Hastings, W. J. Studer, Ursle Crockett, James P. Cummings, Roy I. Arthur, William P. Masters.

Says U. S. Will Stay Out of Mexico Crisis

Sailing, Senator David Reed Also Predicts Seating of Vare—Primary Bars Poor Men, He Declares.

New York, Aug. 10.—The United States will not enter officially into the Mexican crisis in the opinion of Senator David Reed, Republican of Pennsylvania, who sailed today for Mediterranean ports.

Senator Vare will be seated in the Senate despite public indignation over campaign expenditures in securing his nomination, Senator Reed believes.

The Pennsylvania Senator was accompanied by his wife and daughter, Rosamond.

"The direct primary system makes it almost an impossibility for a poor man to aspire to the office of United States Senator," he said when questioned in regard to the Pennsylvania primary scandal. "I understand this condition is not true in the South where they bar most of the electorate. In northern states, however, great campaign expenditures are necessary to appeal to the large mass of voters."

Former Chillicothe Newspaper Man Dies

Chillicothe, Aug. 10.—J. P. Sailor, former editor of the Chillicothe Tribune, died at his home here today following a lengthy illness.

Becker "Fires Back;" Denies Bank Stories

Secretary of State Declares He Has No Knowledge of Loans Made—Defends His Record.

Jefferson City, Aug. 10.—Charles U. Becker, secretary of state, today fired a broadside at the persons who have been attempting to make capital out of the fact that he had deposited state automobile funds in the Citizens Security Bank of Englewood, Jackson County, which was closed by the board of directors last Saturday.

The secretary of state branded as purely political the suggestions that he had knowledge of private loans which had been made by the bank. He declared the state would not lose one cent because of the failure of the bank and pointed out that he had collected more than $40,000 in interest on daily balances on automobile funds and returned this amount to the state treasury.

CORN CROP IS NEEDING RAIN

DROUGH IS EXTENSIVE THROUGHOUT STATE.

THIS SECTION IS BEST

General Rains In Northwest Missouri Of Great Benefit—Counties South Of River Suffering.

Jefferson City, Aug. 10.—Missouri crops have been damaged to the extent of millions of dollars by the continued drough, according to reports received by the state department of agriculture.

The corn crop is being damaged severely by the dry weather, the dry hot winds causing the corn to burn and curl in many sections of the state.

Pastures have been burned in many counties and there has been severe damage to the oats crop. Rainfall in Missouri last month was 30 per cent under normal, many sections being without rain for several weeks. Crops in the Missouri River bottom are in splendid condition. A group of counties in Northwest Missouri are in better shape than those in other parts. These counties have been covered by a general rainfall while the other sections of Missouri have only had local showers.

St. Charles County in the eastern part of the state has experienced the driest spell in many years, the counties south of the Missouri River being the hardest hit by the long dry spell and the early corn in that section could be helped very little should the drough be broken at this time.

The dry spell is damaging the apple crop in Southwest Missouri.

Washington, Aug. 10.—Practically all crops, with the exception of corn, oats and hay, improved during July due to better moisture conditions, the crop reporting bureau of the department of agriculture announced today.

The composite condition of all crops, however, was 4.2 per cent below the ten-year average of condition of crops on August 1.

The corn crop is estimated at 326 million bushels below last year, and the oats crop is 200,000 bushels short.

Winter wheat production is 230 million bushels larger than last year. The estimated production of the spring wheat crop increased thirteen million bushels during July because of favorable weather.

Topeka, Kan., Aug. 10.—Unless rain falls within twenty-four hours the Kansas corn crop will be damaged to the extent of fifty million bushels in the final yield, according to the state board of agriculture. Earlier in the season, the Kansas corn crop had been estimated at 150 million bushels. Reports from a number of counties say that thousands of acres of corn are being severely damaged.

W. H. ('Coin') Harvey Is Expected to Recover

Famous Free Silver Advocate Suffering of Blood Poisoning.—Death Report Erroneous.

Rogers, Ark., Aug. 10.—W. H. ("Coin") Harvey of free silver fame and author of several books on economy will probably recover. The former friend of William Jennings Bryan has been suffering from blood poisoning. Physicians here announced he had shown steady improvement the last week. It was erroneously reported yesterday that Harvey was dead.

CATHOLICS AND TROOPS CLASH

FOUR MEXICAN PRIESTS KILLED, SEVERAL CITIZENS WOUNDED.

A HOPELESS DEADLOCK

Pastors of Protestant Churches Appeal to American Embassy.—British Protest Already In.

Mexico City, Aug. 10.—Four priests were killed, several citizens wounded and forty-three were taken prisoners in a clash between the Catholics and soldiers at Aguayo, the Mexican Catholic episcopate announced today.

Details of the riot were lacking. The dispatches did not state whether any of the soldiers were injured.

The conflict between the Catholic church and the government appears hopelessly deadlocked today. All efforts at mediation have ceased following President Calles' repeated rejections of well-meaning intermediaries, both from within the government and without.

Pastors of Protestant churches in Mexico City have appealed to the American embassy to prevent an inventory of objects within the buildings which government agents are seeking to take as preliminary steps toward nationalization. At the embassy, it was stated that no opinion would be hazarded pending instructions from the state department. However, it is regarded as significant here that the American embassy and the British minister conferred at length yesterday.

The British minister has already forwarded a note of protest to the Mexican government.

Borah May Answer Clemenceau Letter

Idaho Senator Withholds Comment But Indicates "Tiger's" Appeal Will Not Go Unchallenged.

Washington, Aug. 10.—A vigorous reply to Clemenceau's letter to President Coolidge asking for virtual cancellation of the four-billion-dollar French war debt may be issued shortly by Senator Borah, Republican of Idaho, chief of the Senate irreconcilables.

In a message today to International News from his home in Boise, Idaho, Borah said he did not feel able to comment effectively at this time on the letter until he had had an opportunity to study it more carefully. He intimated, however, that he would not let Clemenceau's appeal go unchallenged.

Revolt in Russia Again Emphatically Denied

Soviet Foreign Office Terms Reports "Ridiculously False" in Statement Issued At Moscow.

Moscow, Aug. 10.—Reports of widespread trouble throughout Russia were condemned as "ridiculously false," in a statement issued by the foreign office today.

"The tales that a military revolt has broken out in Kronstadt, Leningrad and Ukraine and statements that Trotzky is fleeing or leading an army on Moscow and that Zinoviev has been exiled into Siberia or leading an army to attract the Kremlin—all these are ridiculously false stories," the statement declares.

Arguments on Dickey Case Are Continued

Owner of Kansas City Journal-Post Would Set Aside Sale Of K. C. Star To Kirkwood Group.

Kansas City, Aug. 10.—Charging that the trustees of the William Rockhill Nelson estate had no right to sell the Kansas City Star to a bidder of its personal preference, attorneys for Walter S. Dickey, owner of the Kansas City Journal-Post and one of the bidders for the Star, resumed arguments today against the dismissal of the suit to set aside the sale of the newspaper to a group headed by Irwin Kirkwood last month for eleven million dollars. Dickey contends that certain information which would have affected his bid was withheld by the trustees.

Weather

Local thunderstorms probable tonight, cooler; Wednesday partly cloudy.

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THE ONLY DAILY PAPER IN NODAWAY COUNTY

SWIMMING THE CHANNEL.

There is a regular epidemic of Channel-swimming this summer. Man after man and woman after woman, and sometimes two or three at a time, take up the struggle against hostile tides and currents, chilling water and smothering fog and other perils of that stormy bit of water separating England and France.

Nearly always they fail. Up to the time of Miss Gertrude Ederle's successful effort, history has recorded only six successful attempts, and none in the present year.

It is a matter of luck as well as physical endurance, skill and courage. Time after time, a great swimmer has been swept back by an unexpected current or beaten by storm or fog when almost within arm's reach of the goal.

And that goal—what is it? Physically, to clamber up and touch the opposite shore, after starting from either side. Financially, perhaps, to reap some transient reward in the form of theatrical engagements or moving picture royalties. Morally to have the satisfaction of knowing that the athlete has accomplished what he or she set out to do, and to be able to say, "I've done it."

We may talk about "cheap glory," we who stay snugly at home and look on, taking our ease. But no one need sneer at this quest. If any individual does not understand it, be sure there are plenty who do.

"Useless" it may seem. Yet what is useless? Surely nothing that stimulates courage and endurance, whether in sport or in more plainly useful endeavor. Was there practical utility in the famous quest of the Holy Grail, or the quest of Childe Roland's Round Tower, so thrillingly depicted by Browning, or in the modern quest for the North and South Poles? Yet, all such high emprises have their value in the realm of the spirit.

LIVING DRAGONS.

Alan Cobham, famous British airman, flying to Australia, sees on an island of the antipodes "two live dragons" comparable with the fabled monster slain by St. George, the English patron saint.

The beasts—or perhaps the reptiles—are described as "about 10 feet long, possessing huge claws with which they are able to kill and devour animals as large as horses." They are believed to be direct descendants of the prehistoric monsters whose fossils are found in the rocks and exhibited in natural history museums.

Thus the remote past meets the present, and science joins hands with legend. Nearly all races have their traditions of dragons, and in China they have become an inseparable part of the natural art. It has been considered possible that such legends really represented dim human memories of struggles with such monsters as the dinosaur and his fearsome relatives far back in the infancy of the race. Few, however, have imagined that there might be actual survivors of that dread brood still existing on the earth. Komodo Island, near Bina, which is near Australia, should be an interesting port of call for future air tourists.

THE BEST TENANTS.

Families are the best tenants, says the owner of an apartment house in Long Island City, N. Y., who has come into notoriety through action to dispossess a "straw widower."

"I haven't anything in particular against bachelors," he explains, "but I just can't abide 'grass widows' and 'straw widowers.' The last name is an invention of my own for men that don't live with their wives.

"Give me married people every time, especially those with children. They're the best tenants."

Plenty of people in other lines of business will echo his testimony. Matrimony may have its defects as a human institution, but it does produce the most steady and dependable human beings.

ALCOHOLIC PACIFISM.

"Treat the booze gently. Don't fight it. It's bigger than you are."

These words, lettered in gilt on a red sign were displayed, oddly enough, in a roadhouse where booze was readily obtainable, and were taken thence by federal prohibition agents who raided the place. They now hang in a place of honor in the office of the United States district attorney.

The incident brings to mind the dictum of a certain small boy, after his first experience with an electric current: "I know about 'lectricity. You've got to be gentle with 'lectricity."

A lot of "booze-fighters" have got to learn to be gentle with booze, if they want to keep on living.

As this efficiency business goes on, we suppose every cigar or cigarette smoker will be equipped with a smoke consumer.

Willie Willis

By ROBERT QUILLEN

"We had company Sunday mornin' an' Papa didn't make me let him see the funny paper first."

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Stewart's WASHINGTON LETTER

By CHARLES P. STEWART.
NEA Service Writer.

Washington — Senator Jim Reed's slush fund investigation has progressed far enough now so that Washington believes Frank L. Smith stands as little chance of being seated in the upper house of congress, even if he wins the senate fight in Illinois, as William S. Vare stands if he wins in Pennsylvania.

Politicians at the capital, however, are not so sure that Smith will carry Illinois as they are that Vare will carry Pennsylvania.

Smith's Democratic rival, George Brennan, has no such enormous Republican majority to overcome in the Sucker State as William B. Wilson, opposing Vare, will have to overcome in order to win in the Keystone State. Pennsylvania Democrats have their hopes, of course, but they're not very brilliant.

Smith, then, may escape the humiliation of a rejection by the senate, by being beaten at the polls.

Prospects are extremely poor that Vare will get out of his difficulties in a similar manner. Elected, nothing can prevent his credentials from being turned down but an overwhelmingly Republican senate, and the best political judgment is that the next one will be anything but overwhelmingly Republican.

Vare being eliminated, it will be up to J. S. Fisher, Republican candidate for governor, who is sure to be elected, to fill the Pennsylvania vacancy by appointment.

There already is much speculation as to whom Fisher will pick, if called on to make a selection.

BARBS

We have more voters than ever before, yet the price of votes is advancing steadily.

Philadelphia crooks must be getting worse. Cops there are ordered not to wear any jewelry.

Washington couldn't lie, but did he spend his vacation fishing?

Dublin reports a surprise of women and so does a young fellow who got married last June.

H. G. Wells writes about Greek art. We know a Greek interior decorator. He runs a cafe.

World could struggle along without a good nickel cigar if it could find a pipe that stayed lit.

IT CAN'T HELP BUT GROW NOW.

What Other Editors Say

A Dip in Theology.

A dip into theology. Someone writes us from the Prairie Queen to know what the Modernist believes. Bless you, we don't know. You see the Modernist puts in all his time telling what he doesn't believe. He would be a pretty good fellow if he would only confine himself to what he does believe, and practice that affirmative part of his theology. But he is so busy tearing down, he has no time left to build up. Now, we know that what a man doesn't believe is valueless. It is the things that he believes and lives that count. It is the positive, not the negative, that saves. "This do" is the message of the New Testament. And this reminds us that it is as idle as a painted ship on the ocean to believe everything in the Bible and then live as though we didn't believe any of it. The trouble with us fundamentalists is that we are so busy saying that we believe the Book from 'kiver to kiver' that we have no time left to do the commandments. Commend us to those though they may not know whether they are fundamentalists or modernists, yet who do know they are everlastingly busy doing the will of the Master that they have no time left to ride either end of a theological teeter-board. —J. K. Poll in Centralia Courier.

Test for Ministers.

Bruce Barton, in Collier's for July seventeenth, writes an interesting article wherein a fictitious character, easily identified with many thoughtful persons, proposes certain qualifications for the examination of prospective ministers of religion. Among them are these:

"1. Could you conduct a successful carpenter shop? The Master did conduct one until He was thirty years of age. Most of the disciples had been active in business before becoming disciples. Recognizing that the ministry is a far more difficult profession than any other, would it not be an excellent preparation if you were to demonstrate success in one of these lesser employments before assuming the greater?

"2. If confronted with the task of entering the outer court of the temple alone and unarmed, and driving out a horde of greedy money changers, could you do it?

"3. Do little children love you and follow you?

"4. Do common people hear you gladly

"5. Do sick people in your presence feel new health and courage?"

These are practical tests. Their application to the ministry is not imaginary. And the strange thing is that many ministers could successfully pass them. They are not always the men of whom we hear most, they are not always found in the biggest pulpits. But they are there, and they are the salt of the ministry.—Dearborn Independent.

French financial experts are advising their nation to start paying up. It is a mean job paying up, but everybody concerned, including Friend Franc, will feel better after it is under way.—Minneapolis Journal.

Vice President Dawes is to spend some time this summer talking about the inefficiency of the senate, but judging by some of the recent primary results, the voters are beating him to that conclusion.—Indianapolis News

The difference between a failure and a successful man is rather aptly illustrated by the fact that while the failure is doubting whether a thing can be done, the successful man is going ahead doing it.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

Interesting information: The hog crop is 10 million less than last year, but the road-hog crop is steadily increasing.—K. C. Star.

Watch Your Breakfast

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Finds Golf Ball in Rattlesnake Coils

Decorah, Ia., Aug. 10.—Searching for his golf ball only to find it in the protecting coils of a three foot rattle snake was the experience of Leslie Schrubbe, of Waterloo, while playing the Oneota golf course near here recently.

Schrubbe's long drive was out of bounds and in the brush along upper Iowa river. A collie dog, wandering in the neighborhood joined Schrubbe in the search and warned him of the snake. The snake moved on and Schrubbe retrieved his ball.

Married for 66 Years; Narry a "Spat" as Yet

Evansville, Mo., Aug. 10.—Two-thirds of a century of married life together was celebrated here yesterday by Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Boatman, who were married on August 9, 1860. The Boatmans characterize themselves as the "ideal married couple," claiming never to have had a quarrel in the 66 years which they have lived together. Eight children were present for the celebration or sent messages of congratulation.

Woman Circuit Clerk for New Madrid County

New Madrid, Mo., Aug. 10—All indications are that New Madrid will have a woman as its next circuit clerk since in the recent primary Miss Lillian Dawson defeated C. G. Anderson 3,161 to 1,033. The Democratic nomination here is almost equivalent to election.

Death of King Saul Said to Be Verified

University of Pennsylvania Palestine Expedition Claims to Have Excavated Records of Proof.

New York, Aug. 10.—Confirmation of the Biblical story of the death of King Saul in 1029 B. C. after his losing fight with the Philistine archers, has been accomplished, according to Dr. George Byron Gordon, director of the Palestine expedition of the University of Pennsylvania.

Records excavated at the town of Beth-Shan and revealing the existence of four temples on a "tell" or high mound overlooking the modern town of Beisan, gave check accounts corresponding closely to the ancient biblical text.

Partial destruction of these temples by King David about 1,000 B. C. is believed to account for their ruined condition. Two, known as the "house of Ashtaroth" and the "Temple of Dagon" showed evidences of their having been re-constructed by David to establish a new sanctuary for worship.

Small Scale Farming Replacing Ranching

Lincoln, Neb., Aug. 10.—Farming on a relatively small scale is rapidly replacing ranching in Nebraska, according to F. K. Reed, federal statistician. Reed declares large ranch holdings are practically a thing of the past.

Excursion To Chicago

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Out in Society

Club Meeting Postponed.

The meeting of the R. N. I. Club, to have been held Thursday afternoon, has been postponed indefinitely.

Club Meeting Postponed.

The meeting of the Ireland Industrial Club has been postponed from tomorrow afternoon to Aug. 25. Mrs. Will Snyder will be hostess at an afternoon meeting.

Entertain at Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Ort Ashford entertained at dinner Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. V. O. Ashford and son, Leo, Mrs. Dine Apple and Leo Mandes, all of Braddyville, Ia., Mr. and Mrs. John J. Ashford and daughters, Merle Pauline and Betty Jean, of Kansas City, and Theodore McGuire.

Ladies' Day at Country Club.

Ladies' Day will be observed Thursday at the Country Club. Golf will be played in the forenoon and luncheon will be served at 1 o'clock. The committee in charge includes Mrs. M. L. Beattie, chairman, Miss Clara Sturm and Mrs. Byron Costello.

Honor Bride and Bride-Elect.

Mrs. Thaddeus K. Beal and the Misses Beal are entertaining informally this afternoon at Beal Place for a few friends of Mrs. Gerney E. Fry of Canton, Ohio, a recent bride, and Miss Katherine Carpenter, whose marriage to Dr. Lester J. Moriarty of Watertown, S. Dak., will take place Aug. 17.

Picnic at Country Club.

The members of a picnic party at the Country Club last evening were Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Pierce, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Phares and children, Betty Barbara Chaves, F. P. Reuillard, Harvey L. Haines, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Raines, Misses Mabel and Laura Margaret Raines, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Mapel, and Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Loet.

Loch Family Reunion.

The home of J. B. Loch, sr., in Pickering was the scene of a family gathering Sunday, the affair being in honor of the birthday anniversaries of Mr. Loch, Mrs. Anna Loch, D. W. Loch and Mrs. Main Rickard. After a basket dinner a social time was enjoyed. Those present were Denver Loch and family, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Loch, J. B. Loch, jr., and family, Irvin Loch and family, Fleta Garrett and son, Dickey, Frank Loch and family, all of Ravenwood, Mrs. Emma Loch, George Loch and family of Parnell, Charles Moore and family of Bedford, Ia., Main Rickard and family of Hopkins, Mr. and Mrs. John B. Loch, sr., and sons, Fred and Harold, Mr. and Mrs. Chance Copeland and sons, Harold and Harry, Andy King and daughters, Lois and Tressia, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Leech and son and Miss Nanshia Seydel of Columbia, Earl Gorton of San Diego, Cal., Miss Mildred Thompson and Miss Pauline Spurgeon of Maryville and Miss Iola Hollensbe of Pickering.

Observe Seven Birthdays.

Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Moody entertained with a picnic dinner Sunday at their home, south of Maryville, in observance of Mrs. Moody's birthday. The affair was also in honor of Mrs. Charles Morris, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Cox, Walter and Robert Davis and John Wood Boody, whose birthdays also occur during August. In the company were Mr. and Mrs. I. E. Moody, Mr. and Mrs. Clay Moody, Mr. and Mrs. Dow Moody, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Moody, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Morris and son, Edward, of St. Joseph, Mr. and Mrs. James Davis, Mrs. Will Ramey, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Davis and son, Billy Joe, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Cox, Misses Nina Shockley, Opal, Nina, Helen and Norma Ramey, Hazel and Virginia Lee Moody, Marguerite Moody, and Truman Ramey, Leo Moody, Allen and Carlos Fay Moody, Walter and Robert Davis, Marvin and John Wood Moody, Glenn Shockley, Robert Moody and the hosts.

Observe Mrs. Leffler's Birthday.

Members of the Leffler and Shelton families held a reunion at Krug Park in St. Joseph Sunday. The affair was in honor of the eighty-fifth birthday anniversary of Mrs. Frances Leffler. Those present were Mrs. Frances Leffler and Mrs. Ida White of Wilcox, Mrs. Lillie Shelton Gill of Atascadero, Cal., Mr. and Mrs. Dale Shelton and sons, Dale, jr., and Jimmie, of Sheridan, Wyo., Mrs. John Wiseman and children, Clark and Frances, of Centralia, Kan., Mr. and Mrs. Ray Wiseman and son, Dale, of Vermillion, Kan., Mr. and Mrs. Donald Wiseman and daughter, Dorothy, of Centralia, Kan., Harry White of Kansas City, Perry Wiseman of Centralia, Kan., Mr. and Mrs. Roy White and children, Julian and Eleanor, of Kansas City, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Boswell of New Point, Mo., Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bowers and children, Mercedes and Robert of Kansas City, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Boswell of New Point, Fay Boswell of New Point, and the following from Maryville: Mr. and Mrs. Lon Hughes and sons, Dale and Robert, Mrs. John Wesley Thompson and daughter, Mary Margaret, Mr. and Mrs. Harve Thompson and children, Pauline, Kenneth, Shelton, Wilson, Wilfred and Welburn, Mr. and Mrs. Elihu Shell and daughters, Frances and Rebecca, and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Shelton and children, Truman, Billie, Edward, Georgia and Martha.

Olwell W. W. Club.

The Olwell Willing Workers Club will be entertained Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Bleine, Logan.

For Pattonsburg Guests.

Mrs. Elvira Dawson entertained at a 6 o'clock dinner last evening in honor of Mrs. D. Bowman and daughter, Miss Frances Bowman of Pattonsburg. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Williams and children, Garu and Billie, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Pyle of DeKalb.

Guests at Pierce Home.

R. D. Hart of Caruthersville, Mo., was a luncheon guest yesterday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Pierce on North Main street. The late Miss Barbara Hart, a daughter of Mr Hart, and Mrs. W. F. Chaves were College fraternity sisters. The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chaves, Betty Barbara, is named for Miss Hart and Miss Betty Turner of Maryville.

Hamlin-Petty Wedding Announced.

Announcemnet was made today of the marriage of Miss Mildred E. Hamlin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hamlin of Maryville, and Earl A. Petty. The wedding took place Monday, July 5, at Troy, Kan. For the present the couple will be at home in Maryville. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Petty, 409 East Fourteenth street. He was graduated from the Maryville High School in the class of 1922, and is a member of the junior class of the State Teachers College.

Frank Breakfast Guests.

Mrs. John Frank and daughters, Misses Mary and Laura Albert Frank, and their guests, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Muth and children, John, Beth and Frank jr., of New Orleans, motored to Maryville from King City, a distance of fifty miles, this morning to be the breakfast guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Frank. Other guests at the breakfast were Emma Ruth Bellows and Laura Phoebe Roseberry. The visitors were luncheon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kurtz, returning to King City this afternoon. Mrs. Muth is a daughter of Mrs. John Frank and with her family has been visiting in King City.

Affairs for Cox Family.

The arrival in the city today of Dr. and Mrs. Gilbert S. Cox and children, Borden, Sarah Ruth and Mary Christine, of Columbus, Ohio, formerly of Maryville, will be the incentive for numerous affairs of informal nature during their several days' stay. They are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Haller on South Main street. This evening Miss Ruth Matter and Mrs. Charles Gaugh will honor the visitors with a picnic supper at the country home of the former, northeast of Maryville. The guests will number about forty. Other guests from out of town will be Misses Clara and Margaret Langsford of Springfield, Mo., the guests of Miss Lillian James.

Members of the First Methodist Church, of which Dr. Cox is a former pastor, have arranged a picnic supper at 6:30 o'clock Friday evening for the Cox family in the dining room of the church. Friends of the family, not affiliated with the church, are also invited. The Sunday school orchestra, under the direction of William Gaugh, will play several selections and Dr. Cox will speak.

Other smaller affairs are being planned for the visitors.

Entertain at Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Lambert and daughter, Anna Margaret, were hosts at a dinner Sunday at their home near Wilcox, entertaining as their guests, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Shackelford and son, Junior, Mr. and Mrs. Will Fox, Mr. and Mrs. Clint Adams and son, Leroy, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Duncan, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Shell and children, Swinford and Ella Marjorie, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Hill and daughter, Mary, Mr. and Mrs. Marion Fine and daughter, Madeline, Mr. and Mrs. Chuck Kable and daughter, Guelda, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Duncan, Miss Margaret Parker of Burlington Junction, Miss Jennie Duncan, Miss Freda Smith of Council Bluffs, Ia., and Miss Lois Blakesly of Tarkio.

Annual Reunion of Neal Family.

The annual reunion of members of the Neal family and close friends took the form of a basket dinner yesterday at the home of Mrs. Nancy Neal near Pickering. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Marion Neal of Luling, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Cox of Deerfield, Mo., Miss Lucy Neal and Miss Berniece Wysong of Oklahoma City, Miss Mary Jobblings of Colwell, Kan., Mr. and Mrs. G. V. Hanna and daughter, Ardith, of LeRoy, Kan., Miss Velda McCall of Harmony, Mr. and Mrs. George Smith and children, Mildred and Corrine, of Bolckow, Mr. and Mrs. John Collins and children, Richard, Evelyn, Maurine and Wayne, and Maydell Lewis of Barnard, Mr. and Mrs. Maynard Collins and son, John Charles of Arkoe, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hanna and children, Curtis, Charles and Robert, of Maryville, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hanna and children, Ethelyn, Edison, and Edith of Maryville, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Neal, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Clayton and children, Ralph, Doris and Beverly Rolne, Mr. and Mrs. Will Hinton and daughter, Marjorie, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hinton and children, Henry, Mary, Gladys and Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Pistole and daughter, Verna, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Hollensbe and daughter, Florence, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Daniels and children, Lorin, Eldena, Lillian and Robert, Mr. and Mrs. Shan McGuire and children, Elsie and Audrey, Berniece and Cecil White, Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Hanna and children, Lawrence and Lauretta, Mrs. Henry Hinton, Mrs. Nancy Neal, George Neal, Miss Verna Treese, Misses Berniece, Maudie and Anna Belle Hollensbe and Marvin and Herschel Collins, all of Pickering.

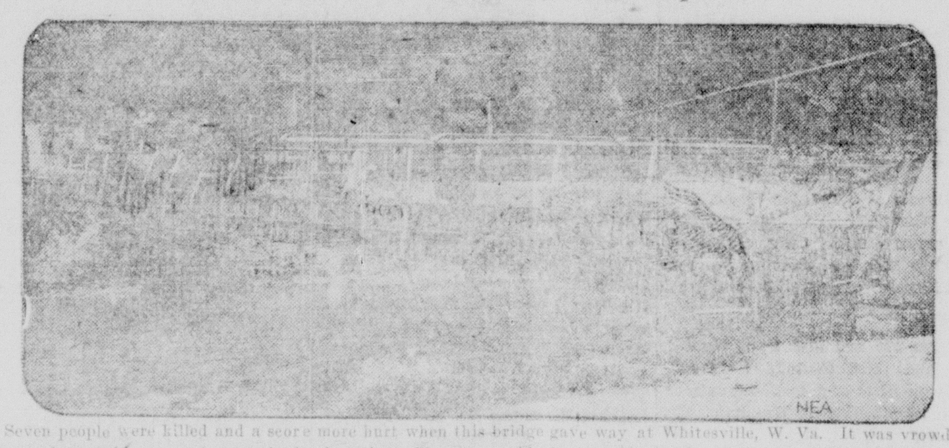
Spend Day at Shenandoah.

A group of young people motored to Shenandoah, Ia., Sunday for a day's outing. Lunch was served picnic style at the fair grounds and the afternoon and evening was spent at Porter's lake. In the group were Thelma and Raymond Beam of Maryville, Merle Gorman of Chicago, Maynard Pettigrew of Maryville, Elliott Lister of Braddyville, Ia., Gladys Keever of Maryville, Ida Steph of Skidmore, Raymond Osborne of College Springs, Ia., Dale Rhodes of Ravenwood, and Misses Thelma Milbanks, Laura and Clydia Shields, Irene Pence, Cecil Culver, Clara Burch, Freelove Combs, Marjorie Gray, Viola and Martha Brandt, Mildred Broyles, Ruby Gray, Dola Holmes, Oma Bancroft, and Day Baker and Merle Simpson, all of Clearmont.

The Jack Dempseys Arrive in New York

Smiling, confident, eager for battle, Jack Dempsey lands in New York to defend his heavyweight boxing title against Gene Tunney, next month. He will train at Saratoga Springs. His wife, Estelle Taylor, came with him. Tex Rickard, left, promoter of the match, and Manager Gene Normile, right, were on hand to meet them.

Seven Die as Bridge Collapses



Seven people were killed and a score more hurt when this bridge gave way at Whitesville, W. Va. It was crowded with people watching a water carnival when the cable at one side broke and the floor of the bridge, as shown in the picture, fell to a vertical position, spilling its occupants into the river below.

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"I don't believe it—there couldn't have been a thousand."

"Well, I saw a hundred."

"Nonsense—you did not see a hundred rabbits."

"Well—I saw one rabbit."

"I don't believe you even saw one rabbit."

"Well—anyway, I thought I saw a rabbit."

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Reunion of Shelman Family Held Sunday

Fourteen Towns Represented in Gathering of 154 Kinsmen at W. A. Shelman Home Near Pickering.

The third annual reunion of the Shelman family was held Sunday at the country home of William A. Shelman, five miles east of Pickering. Relatives to the number of 154 were present.

Dinner was served on the shady lawn, after which reminiscences and music occupied the rest of the afternoon.

The following persons, with their families ,were present:

Pickering: W. A. Shelman, Earnie Shelman, Chas. Killam ,Ernest Wray, James Jones, Lewis Pistole, Frank Horn, Mrs. Laura Watson, Ray Killam, Arthur Wray.

Parnell: Hugh Young, Hardy Shelman, Chas. Shelman, Henry Shelman, Victor Wray, Henry Bosch, Randle Holton, Milo Holton, Lloyd Killam, Nelson Killam, Varvill Wilcox, Mrs. Riley Fleteball and daughters.

Hopkins: Henry Wray, Guy Wray, B. T. Wray, Byron Wray and Elbert and Alma Wray, Keith Killam, Will Killam, Ross Killam, Russell Nickerson, Ed Allison, Leo Shelman, Everett Florea, Fred Wray, Miss Lucile Gaddis.

Sheridan: W. N. Wray, Jacob Shelman, Zoe Dickey and Fred Othman, Chas. Reno, Opal Wilson.

Maryville: Curtis Boatright, Clarence Jones.

Burlington Junction: Lloy Woodburn.

Skidmore: Alvin Long.

Conway, Ia.; James Rounds.

Bedford, Ia.; Lena Rounds.

Hayward, Cal.; Sam Shelman, Samie Hays.

St. Joseph: Franklin Sadler.

Ravenwood: W. N. Boatright.

Hiawatha, Kan.; Joe Scott.

Edmond, Okla.; Mrs. Rose Rogers and daughter.

Farmhand Is Pinned Under Loaded Wagon

In a field where threshing was in progress Saturday, near Graham, a wagon loaded with shocks of grain fell over and pinned David Smith, one of the workmen, to the ground. When he was extricated, it was found that no bones were broken, but his left knee and ankle were badly bruised and sprained.

Read the Want Ads.

Local News

Joe Allen was in St. Joseph yesterday on business.

Mrs. John Myers was taken suddenly ill this morning at her home in Clearmont. Her condition is serious.

Miss Gladys Keever of Maryville and Miss Ida Steph of Skidmore spent the week end at the home of Mrs. Della Brandt of Clearmont.

Mrs. Virgil Keene returned at noon today from a month's visit in Siloam Springs, Ark., with her aunt, Mrs. Sallie Steers, who is critically ill. Mrs. Steers is 90 years old.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Strong returned today from Kansas City where they motored Sunday afternoon. They were accompanied home by Mrs. Strong's mother, Mrs. Mary Livasy, for a visit.

Mrs. William Pfeiffer of Blue Rapids, Kan., who has been undergoing treatment at St. Francis Hospital for two weeks, left this morning for her mother's home at Marysville, Kan., where she will spend several weeks. The trip was made on a stretcher. Mr. Pfeiffer accompanied her.

Guests at Carpenter Home.

Mrs. Campbell Yothers and son, Leander, of Canton, Ohio, arrived in Maryville Sunday morning to visit Mrs. Yothers' parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Carpenter.

Son for Mr. and Mrs. Paul Ward.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul L. Ward announce the birth of a son, born at noon Sunday at St. Francis Hospital. The youngster weighed eight pounds and has been named William Henry. Mr. Ward is local sales manager for the Maryville Electric Light and Power Co.

At Livestock Market Yesterday.

Sisson and Stitesman, Nodaway county stockmen, had two loads of hogs on Monday's market at St. Joseph. George A. Fite of Maryville also was a market visitor yesterday.

Bovards to Lake Okoboji.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Bovard and children, Kirby and Mary Ann, left this morning by automobile for a week's outing at Lake Okoboji, Ia. They will be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Crum of Bedford, Ia., who have a cottage there.

To Visit Parents at Springfield.

Mr. and Mrs. I. E. Tulloch left Sunday in their car to motor to Springfield, Mo., for a visit with Mr. Tulloch's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Tulloch, who formerly lived at Barnard. Mr. and Mrs. Tulloch went by way of Boonville, where they will be joined by their daughter, Virginia, who has been visiting there for some time.

Couple Licensed to Marry.

A marriage license was issued today at the office of Mrs. Mamie Clardy, county recorder, to Anthony J. Henggeler of Conception Junction and Inez Lafern Lacy of Maryville.

Mr. and Mrs. G. V. Hanna and daughter, Ardith, of Le Roy, Kan., left for their home yesterday after a week's visit with Mr. Hanna's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hanna, and friends in and near Pickering.

Return from Ohio.

Mrs. John P. Erickson and Miss Blanche Erickson returned Monday night from a four weeks' motor trip to Manchester, Ohio. Miss Erickson also visited in Cincinnati and Portsmouth, Ohio. On the return trip they visited Mr. and Mrs. Guy Erickson at St. Joseph and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Erickson of Bolckow.

Mrs. Herren Improving.

Mrs. John Herren, who underwent an operation at the Missouri Methodist Hospital in St. Joseph July 27, is improving. If her condition remains favorable, she will return home the latter part of this week. Mr. Herren, who had been with her since the operation, returned last night and was accompanied by his son, George Herrer, who motored down for the week end.

Mrs. Braniger to California

Mrs. J. R. Braniger will leave Thursday afternoon for Ontario, Cal., where she will visit her sister, Mrs. Earl Vickery. En route home she will visit an uncle, Dow Livasy, at Spokane, Wash., and Mrs. E. E. Corken, a former resident of Burlington Junction, at Denver Colo. She will be gone about six weeks.

TURKISH TRADE.

London—Carpets, flutes and weird smoking pipes do not constitute the entire output of Turkish manufacturers, as many people think.

An exhibition of Turkish exports, recently shown here on board the S. S. Kara Deniz, now touring European ports to boost Turkish trade, included canned fruits, mineral ore, Black Sea coal and women's shoes.

Read the Want Ads.

FARM GLIMPSES

By BILLY TILSON

Pearl Jackson and wife, southwest of Barnard, were Maryville visitors yesterday. Mr. Jackson says the hot weather is burning up the pastures and corn will not stand the drought much longer.

W. F. Farmer, northwest of Barnard, is plowing up his stubble ground and is pulling his plows with a tractor. He believes in early plowing for wheat.

Henry Reed and son Charles Reed were transacting business in Maryville yesterday. Charley had the misfortune to get his finger caught in the door of his car, losing part of the finger.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Peery and Luther Peery were Maryville visitors yesterday. They report the drought beginning to look serious up that way. They live southeast of Clearmont.

E. T. Crane and daughters of near Monmouth, Ill., are visiting their son and brother, Lester Crane, of Burlington Junction. They are also visiting the families of Al and Henry Crane of Burlington Jct. and Clearmont. Mr. Crane formerly lived west of the Junction but left there in 1898. He says the wheat and oats where he lives only made about a half crop and corn will not make a very large yield.

Jesse Wray, northeast of the city, delivered a few nice large juicy watermelons last week. Jesse has been keeping his melon patch a secret but when they began to ripen the secret was out.

Alfred Jones, northeast of the city, finished threshing his oats. They averaged around 40 bushels per acre. The J. H. Gray field adjoining averaged about the same. They were an extra good quality.

Jake Sutterlin, southwest of Maryville, had his field of grain threshed yesterday. They were making only a fair yield. The machine went from there to the Holt field just across the road from the Sutterlin field. Ralph White was doing the threshing. He says he has only a few more jobs and will pull his machine under the shed.

Twelve carloads of cattle were shipped from Skidmore Saturday to the Chicago market. Uba New, west of Skidmore, had five loads of 1400-pound steers, John McMahon of Skidmore had out 2 loads of 1350 steers, W. R. Linville and sons, the Skidmore bankers and cattle feeders, had out five loads, one load averaging around 1600 pounds, one load around 1500 pounds. The other three loads averaged around 1350 pounds. These cattle were all well finished. Mr. Linville had heard from the sale of two loads yesterday afternoon. One load brought $9.50, the other $9.40. They were well pleased with the sale, the way heavy steers are selling, but heavy cattle are not commanding near the price they should at this time of the year and the price is considerably lower than a year ago.

Van Goslee, east of Skidmore, has 125 head of 1350-pound cattle that he has been feeding for some time. With the price of corn advancing he hasn't decided whether to ship out or feed a while longer.

The prospects for corn has shrunk one-third all over the county in the last few days and if the hot weather continues very much longer the great prospect for a corn crop which loomed up in this county only a week ago will see the prospects of a good yield blasted.

To Give Exams for Eighth Grade Pupils

For eighth grade pupils of the county who failed in a few subjects last spring, Leslie G. Somerville, county superintendent of schools, today announced that he would hold examinations on next Monday, giving them another chance to enter high school this fall.

The examinations will be held in the county superintendent's office in the courthouse and will begin at 9 a. m.

AUNT HET

"I ain't sensitive about other things, but if a man eats at my house an' don't loosen his belt or unbutton his vest, he don't get invited no more."

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Oil Well Down 1,268 Feet But Still Caving

Attaining a depth of 1,268 feet at the test well of the Quitman Oil and Gas Co., the drillers still were fighting a caving formation today. Late this afternoon they reported the treacherous formation was "nearly whipped."

Drilling was renewed yesterday morning and has gone forward steadily since then but slowly because of the continuous cave-ins. The new steel cable which was put in place Saturday was found yesterday to be defective, and a representative of the St. Louis company which furnished it promised to send instead a new line of imported English steel, according to Raymond Rose, son of Contractor G. H. Rose. Meanwhile the drilling will be continued, but cautiously.

Tarkio Again to Play Western League Team

For the third time this season the baseball team which is the pride of Tarkio will tangle next Tuesday with a club from the Western League. Lincoln will furnish the opposition this time.

Tarkio has "cleaned up" on nearly all the fast teams from the towns around about. The games are played on week days, the merchants closing their places of business. In the two previous games with Western League opponents, Tarkio lost, but by close scores both times. St. Joseph won one game, 4 to 3, and Wichita the other, 3 to 1, in ten innings.

Leavenworth Mayor & Police Chief Ousted

Resignations Demanded By Attorney-General Griffith Following Spectacular Raids of Yesterday.

Leavenworth, Aug. 10.—Upon demand of Attorney-general Griffith today Mayor Henry Fraser and Chief of Police William Rowe resigned following the spectacular raids of yesterday led by Griffith on alleged liquor joints here which resulted in fourteen arrests.

Griffith said conditions in Leavenworth were even worse than he expected.

"I believe that the only way to clean up the city is to put in a new administration," he said.

Nodaway Schools to Be Enriched $30,938

Interest on County and Township Funds, With Railroad and Telegraph Taxes, Yield This Amount.

Nodaway county schools will receive $30,938.02 from sources other than local taxation, general state aid and special funds for vocational and high school aid ,according to a tabulation of figures made by Fred Wright, deputy county clerk.

Interest on the county school fund will amount to $8,221.54, which will be distributed among the various school districts in proportion to their enumeration of pupils. The county school fund was created by the sale of the swamp lands apportioned among the counties many years ago by the state.

From the township school fund, $1,480.32 will be available. This fund was created by the sale of the sixteenth section in each township, set aside for school purposes at the time of their organization.

Railroad and telegraph taxes will yield $19,895.01 for the teachers and incidental fund, while $1,341.15 will be added to building funds.

To these funds will be added general state aid, vocational agriculture and vocational home economics aid, and high school aid. Last year the general state aid amounted to $25,359.33.

Gaynor Pupils to Register on Friday

Registration for all pupils of the Gaynor school will be held Friday of this week, according to an announcement today by Mrs. Gertrude Van Velson, superintendent. School will begin on August 30.

Miss Artiemaye Ashford and Theodore McGuire of Conception Junction were in Maryville Saturday.

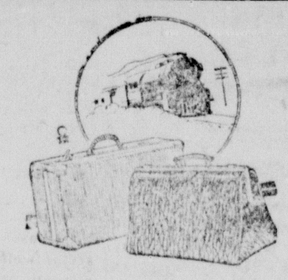
Out in Society

Dinner Hosts.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Watson will give a 6 o'clock dinner at their home this evening when their guests will include Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Thomas and their guest, Mrs. Allie Ryan of Olathe, Kan., Robert Gallagher, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Appleby, and Roy and Kahla May Watson.

Entertain at Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Erickson entertained at dinner yesterday at their home near Bolckow. Plates were laid for Mr. and Mrs. John P. Erickson and Misses Blanche and Mabel Ruth Erickson of Maryville, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Erickson of St. Joseph, and the hosts.



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How is your School Room equipped? We have a complete stock of school supplies from pencils to the largest desk needed. May we ask you to inspect your school furnishings now that you will have things in shape for the opening day.

D.E. Hotchkin

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Diamond Popularity Is Increasing Again

London—Diamonds are growing in popularity.

The Holborn-viaduct here, the home of the Diamond Syndicate, has recently been flooded with exceptionally large orders for the gems. The demand is attributed to the popularity of the stones in America.

The Diamond Syndicate, better known as the "millionaire's syndicate," controls the output of the world's largest mines. It deals solely in rough stones, which are sold to Amsterdam and Antwerp dealers, who cut and polish the gems.

Prices of larger stones have risen 15 per cent during the last 12 months.

He Uses Soap Box for Opening His Campaign

South Dakota Gubernatorial Candidate Launches Attack On Present Incumbent.—Assails Oil Monopoly.

Sioux Falls, S. D., Aug. 10.—The fall election in this state has been begun from a soap box.

Tom Ayres, farmer-labor candidate for governor, has begun the fray, scoring Governor Carl Gunderson, capitalism and conservatism generally. He is using the popular method employed by the outdoor orators in Union Square, New York, which is always picturesque.

Formal inauguration of his own campaign began this week and he is using the main corner of the business district here for his platform. Among other things, Ayres, who is a familiar figure in state politics, says if elected governor he "will begin state gasoline sales and that Standard Oil government in South Dakota will cease on that date."

Auto First Aid Kits Urged by Red Cross

Washington, Aug. 10.—Hundreds of persons killed in automobile accidents every year could have been saved from death had first aid been given the victims, according to the American Red Cross.

Fifty-two lives a day is the toll automobiles are taking in the United States. Tourists are urged to carry in their cars a Red Cross First Aid Kit as a regular part of their emergency equipment.

Read the Want Ads.

STATE LEADERS CALL MEETING TO DEFEAT PROPOSITION NO. 4

Governor, Former Governor and Other Political Leaders, Presidents of Colleges, Eminent Churchmen, Business and Professional Men Join in Call Signed by More Than 200 Citizens.

MEETING TO BE HELD IN JEFFERSON CITY, SEPT. 2

All Opposed to Repeal of State Prohibition Enforcement Act Urged to Attend.

TO THE PEOPLE OF MISSOURI:

By the submission of proposition No. 4 to be voted upon at the November election, an issue of great importance is tendered to the voters of Missouri. This proposition proposes to repeal the State Prohibition Enforcement Act.

Missouri concurred in the adoption of the 18th Amendment. It was therefore logical and proper that the state provide ample authority for its officers to exercise the full power of the state in carrying out the provisions of the Constitution which it helped to adopt.

Proposition No. 4 is submitted in an attempt to defeat a national policy agreed upon in a constitutional manner and with the concurrence of our state. The voters of the state are asked to withdraw the state's support from the enforcement of prohibition and thus indirectly to attack the constitution of the United States. This proposition does not propose to repeal the 18th Amendment or to modify the Volstead act. It is an indirect act of rebellion against both. It is a subtle attempt to withdraw the authority of this state from the enforcement of the law against bootleggers, moonshiners and their associates in crime. It is an outright effort to break down the constitution and laws of the United States by rendering the government powerless to enforce them.

The adoption of proposition No. 4 would, in our judgment, bring on results distressing and shameful in the extreme. The ugly possibilities are manifest from a consideration of these facts:

At present both federal and state officers are available in the enforcement of the prohibition policy in Missouri. The total of such officers is in round numbers 6350. Of this number, approximately 75 are federal, 6275 are state officers. The state officers include the governor, justices of supreme and appellate courts, judges of circuit and criminal courts, justices of the peace, the attorney general and his assistants, prosecuting and circuit attorneys and their assistants, sheriffs and their deputies, constables and their deputies and members of the police force in St. Louis, Kansas City and St. Joseph. No extra state offices have been established in Missouri to enforce this law. The federal officers act under the authority of the Volstead law, the state officers under the law which proposition Number Four proposes to repeal.

By the repeal of this law, it is proposed to withdraw the great strength and support of Missouri officials from the field of enforcement and leave less than a hundred officers of the federal government to protect the people against the criminals who violate the liquor laws. We leave the people who care for the purity of their homes, the safety of their children upon streets and highways, and who are jealous of the good morals and good name of our state to picture the unspeakable consequences that such a shameless surrender would produce.

It is useless to assert that the federal government has power to increase its courts and prohibition agents to a number adequate to protect the people from such hideous conditions. The federal government should not be asked to assume such a burden, since Missouri joined other states in enacting the 18th Amendment. This is a police problem. It calls for the exercise of state authority. It challenges the spirit of local self-government. The people of the great state of Missouri are capable of governing themselves. Shall we not resent and repudiate all efforts to render us powerless through our own officers and agents to protect our lives, our homes, our children and our fortunes against the menace of moonshiners, bootleggers and the criminal gangs that rendezvous with them?

Against proposition No. 4 we most earnestly protest. We protest in the name of our country, whose fundamental law it proposes to nullify. We protest in the name of our state of whose sovereignty it proposes to make base and abject surrender. We protest in the name of our homes and children whose safety and purity it proposes to jeopardize.

We call upon all citizens of Missouri who are jealous of our state's sovereignty, good morals and good name, who believe in upholding the constitution while we enjoy the blessings of American citizenship and who oppose surrendering the state to moonshiners, bootleggers and their associates in crime, to assemble in person or by representative at the Hall of the House of Representatives in Jefferson City, on Thursday, Sept. 2nd, 1926, there to give voice to their protest against this assault upon the sovereignty and fair name of our state and to set up an organization to be selected from the body of the citizenship which shall direct a campaign throughout the state against this perilous proposal.

We urge all religious, social, fraternal, civic, business and other organizations and all citizens of this state who are in sympathy with our protest and the purpose of this call and who stand for the preservation of the federal constitution to send representatives to this meeting.

No issue so vital to our moral and social welfare and to orderly government in Missouri confronts us at this hour.

We implore your full co-operation in this cause.

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"Brother Charley" in Attempt to Come Back

Charles W. Bryan Unopposed In Democratic Gubernatorial Primary—Comparatively Light Vote Is Expected.

Lincoln, Neb., Aug. 10.—After one of the quietest primary campaigns in the state's history, Nebraskans today went to the polls to nominate candidates of four political parties for governor.

Three of the parties—the Democratic, Progressive and Lafollette Independent—offered but one candidate for the gubernatorial nomination.

Republicans were offered their choice of nominating Governor Adam McMullen for another term or of choosing between Robert G. Ross, former livery stable proprietor of Lexington, Neb., and Fred G. Johnson. Governor McMullen was an overwhelming favorite.

The much discussed farm relief problem aroused little discussion during the campaign.

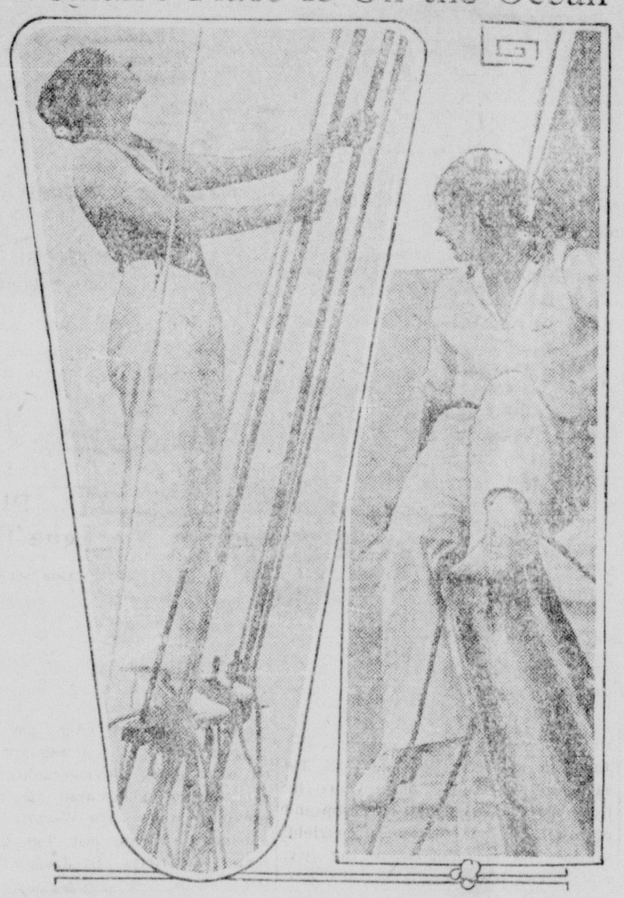
Charles W. Bryan, former governor and Democratic Vice-Presidential nominee at the 1924 election is the only candidate seeking the Democratic gubernatorial position. Because of his lack of opposition in the primary campaign, the brother of the late William Jennings Bryan has preserved his campaign "ammunition" for use after today.

All of Nebraska's representatives to Congress are seeking re-election.

A comparatively light vote was anticipated throughout the state, leaders of the two major parties said.

Sikeston—The Southeast Missouri Association, organized for the agricultural, industrial and commercial development of this section of the State, has chosen this city for headquarters.

Woman's Place Is On the Ocean



When the Southern California Yachting Association holds its annual regatta this summer, the yacht Walgar will participate manned by a crew of women. Skipper Margaret Walsh, daughter of a famous Pacific coast ship builder, is shown sitting on a boom, with Seaman Esther Ruth in the rigging

Family of Man Dr. Norris Killed

Here is the family of D. E. Chipps, Fort Worth (Tex.) lumberman who was shot to death by Rev. J. Frank Norris, evangelist, in the study of Dr. Norris' church. The son's name is Elliott.

Bust of Ellen Scripps Wins Prize

S. Cartaino Scarpitta, internationally known sculptor, won a $500 prize offered by the Fine Arts gallery in San Diego, Calif., with his bust of Miss Ellen Browning Scripps. The bust is considered an unusually good likeness of the well-known California philanthropist.

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HEALTH DIRECTOR TELLS HOW TO WITHSTAND HEAT.

DON'T "FUSS AROUND"

Vegetables, Melons, Fruits Best Diet. —Cold Water Bottle Aids in Bringing Sleep.

There are numerous ways of "going the thermometer one better," according to the Kansas City health director, as quoted in the Kansas City Star.

Avoid sweet soda fountain drinks. An ice cream soda may have as many calories—and calories are heat-producing—as a meat, vegetable and bread dinner. Alcoholic beverages should not be considered. Cool water, and not ice water, is the ideal summer drink.

Strenuous exercises should not be indulged in. A very homely bit of advice, which is unusually effective nevertheless, is not "to run around, or fuss around too much." Rest instead.

Summer diets should emphasize vegetables, melons, fruits. Raw vegetable salads are excellent for the summer dinner, as are nonstarchy vegetables.

"Heavy" foodstuffs should have only a very small place on the diet.

Obtain plenty of sleep. A water bag filled with cold faucet water, and not with iced water, used as a pillow is conducive to pleasant afternoon naps. Good, restful sleep is more essential in the summer than at other times of the year.

The cold water faucet should not be overlooked. By letting water from this faucet run for three or four minutes over one's wrists, a delightful coolness will result.

Wear loose-fitting, light clothes. Light-colored clothing will reflect the sun's rays, while darker clothes will absorb the heat. And don't forget baby. Clothe him as lightly as possible—which is very light.

If possible, keep your surroundings cool. In the home, this may be helped by closing windows early in the morning, thus shutting out the hotter outside air. If, however, a room is warm, place an electric fan on a ledge on the outside of a window. This will start a cool typhoon and ventilation will be considerably better than if the fan simply stirred up the warm air in the room.

Do not go bareheaded into intense sunshine, do not attempt to get a bathing beach tan in a day. Use caution in the swimming pool. Don't swim too long or too strenuously.

Federal Courts in East Lax, Says Otis

Missouri Judge Says Conviction in Prohibition Cases in New York Almost Impossible.

St. Joseph, Aug. 10.—The federal courts in Missouri are much severer in dealing with dry law violators than those in New York City, according to Judge Merrill E. Otis, who returned to St. Joseph a few days ago after hearing a docket of civil cases there, to which duty he was assigned by Chief Justice William H. Taft.

"Except in the strongest cases it is impossible to convict for the violation of the prohibition law in New York City," Judge Otis said. "Most of the penalties, which are imposed in federal court there, are assessed against defendants who plead guilty. Prison sentences are seldom meted out, nor are the fines as heavy as those assessed in federal courts in this state.

State Gives No Aid.

"The state of New York, of course, gives the federal government no aid in enforcing prohibition, since it repealed its liquor laws. Though a large number of cases are filed in comparison, and authorities rely mainly on injunctions and padlocks for enforcement. This also is done in Missouri but not to such an extent as there. In St. Joseph in the last three years only three federal injunctions were granted against places where liquor was sold.

Judge Otis heard ten cases in New York City, all of a civil nature. Lawyers who tried cases before him were of the best and the worst in the city, Judge Otis said. Court custom is somewhat more formal there than in this state, he said. The judges wear black silk gowns, and deliver charges to the jury, standing. In Missouri, the judge remains seated throughout the time of court.

Heard Several Accents.

The melting pot of New York, Judge Otis observed is reflected in the courtrooms. "I heard a half dozen or more accents in my courtroom. The naturalization classes are enormous, as many as 300 applicants being examined in a single day," he said.

Judge and Mrs. Otis and their daughter, Dorothy, motored to and from New York City, stopping at Annapolis and at Washington on the way back. At Annapolis they visited Judge Otis' sister and her husband, who is a naval officer at the academy there. At Washington they were guests of Representative Charles L. Faust, and at Jefferson City the guests of Judge Thomas J. Brown and family.

Judge Otis will remain in St. Joseph the rest of this month to hear several minor cases, and to attend to other court business here. The first half of September he will preside over a special term of court at Kansas City, after which he will return to St. Joseph for the regular fall term of court.

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The GIRL in the MIRROR

By Elizabeth Jordan

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THE STORY.

CHAPTER I.—Barbara Devon's wedding and departure of her honeymoon leaves her brother "Laurie," successful playright but somewhat inclined to wildness, without her restraining influence. His theatrical associates, Rodney Bangs and Jacob Epstein, promise to "keep an eye on him."

CHAPTER II. — Laurie, who is wealthy, refuses to settle down to work, announcing his intention of resting and seeking "adventure." From his window in New York he sees the reflection of a beautiful girl in a mirror in the house opposite.

CHAPTER III.—Devon learns from the elevator boy in the girl's house that her name is Mayo. Again in the mirror's reflection he sees her with a revolver and fears she means to commit suicide. He breaks into her apartment and, winning her confidence, induces her to lunch with him, though she warns him of "danger."

CHAPTER IV.—Perceptibly agitated by the arrival of a man in the restaurant, she mutters that he has "found her." Learning that she is unmarried and the man has no claim on her, Laurie, incensed, accosts the stranger.

CHAPTER V.—Accusing the man of annoying Miss Mayo, Devon warns him to end his espionage. The stranger is politely sarcastic, but from him Laurie learns the girl's first name is Doris. She tells him her persecutor is Herbert Ransome Shaw.

CHAPTER VI.

Laurie Solves a Problem.

Laurie walked across the square to his own rooms. A sudden gloom had fallen upon him. He saw himself sitting in his study, gazing remotely at his shoes, until it was time to dress for the evening and his formal call on Doris.

The prospect was not attractive. He hoped Bangs would be at home. If so, perhaps he could goad him into one of the rages in which Bangs was so picturesque; but he was not sure of even this mild diversion. Rodney had been wonderfully sweet-tempered the past three days, though preoccupied, as if in the early stages of creative art. Laurie half suspected that he had begun work on his play. The suspicion aroused conflicting emotions of relief and half-jealous regret. Why couldn't the fellow wait till they could go at it together? He ignored the fact that already the fellow had waited six weeks.

Bangs was not at home. The square, flat-topped mahogany desk at which the two young men worked together blinked up at Laurie with the undimmed luster of a fine piece of furniture on which the polisher alone had labored that morning. Without taking the trouble to remove his hat and coat, Laurie dropped into a chair and tried to think things out. But the process of thinking eluded him, or, rather, his mind shied at it as a skittish horse might shy if confronted on a dark road with shapes vaguely familiar yet mysterious.

Frankly, he couldn't make head or tail of this mess Doris seemed to be in. His memory reminded him that such "messes" existed. He had heard and read of all sorts of plots and counterplots, in which all types of humans figured. His imagination underscored the memory. But, someway, Doris—he loved to repeat the name even to himself—someway Doris was not the type that figured in such plots.

Also, there were other things hard to understand. She had let herself starve for four days, though she wore around her neck a chain that she admitted represented a month's support. And this fellow, Herbert Ransome Shaw—where the devil did he come in? A fellow with a name like that and with snaky eyes like his was capable of anything. And yet—

Young Devon had the intolerance of American youth for the things outside his personal experience. The sort of thing Doris was hinting at didn't happen her; that was all there was to it. What was happening seemed pretty clear. The girl was, or fancied herself, in the power of an unscrupulous scamp who was using that power for some purpose of his own. If that was it—and this thing, Laurie handsomely admitted, really did happen sometimes—it ought to be fairly easy for an athletic chap of twenty-four to put an end to it. He recalled the look in Shaw's projecting eyes, the snake-like forward thrust of his sleek head; and an intense desire seized him to get his hands on the fellow's throat and choke him till his eyes stuck out twice as far as they did now. If that were duty, then duty would be a delight.

Having reached this edifying point in his reflections, he rose. Why delay? Perhaps he could find the chap somewhere. Perhaps the waiter at the restaurant where they had lunched knew where he lived. But, no, of course not. It was not the kind of restaurant his sort patronized. Shaw had simply followed him and Doris there; that was all there was to it. He, Laurie, would have to wait for another encounter. Meantime he might run around to the club and box for an hour. He had been getting a bit out of condition this month. A bout with McDonald, the club trainer, would do him good. Or, by Jove, he'd go and see Louise Ordway!

He had promised his new brother-in-law, Bob Warren, to keep an eye on Bob's sister while Warren and Barbara were in Japan, and Laurie had kept the promise with religious fidelity and very real pleasure. He immensely liked and admired Mrs. Ordway, who seemed, strangely, to be always at home of late. He had formed the habit of running in several times a week. Louise not only talked, but, as Laurie expressed it, "she said things." He had spent with her many of the afternoons and evenings Bangs cheeked up to the cabarets.

He glanced at his watch. For an hour he had been impersonating a gentleman engaged in profound meditation, with the sole result that he had decided to go to see Louise. It was quite possible he could enlist her interest in Doris. Now, that was an inspiration! Perhaps Mrs. Ordway would understand Doris. Every woman, he vaguely believed, understood all other women. He smoothed his hair, straightened his tie, and hurried off.

He Found Mrs. Ordway Reclining on a Chaise Longue Before an Open Fire.

He found Mrs. Ordway reclining on a chaise lounge before an open fire, in the boudoir in which his sister Barbara had spent so many hours of the past year, playing the invalid to sleep. She wore a superb Mandarin coat, of soft and ravishing tints, and her love for rich colors was reflected in the autumnal tones of her room and even in the vari-colored flames of her driftwood fire. To Louise these colors were as definite as mellow trumpet-tones. She had responded to them all her life. She was responding to them still, now that she lay dying among them. Something in their superb arrogance called for an answering note from her own arrogant soul.

She greeted her brother's young brother-in-law with the almost disdainful smile she now turned on everything, but which was softened a little for him. Ignorant of the malady that was eating her life away, as indeed all her friends were ignorant of it, save Barbara and her doctors, Laurie delighted in the picture she made. He showed his delight as he dropped into a chair by her side. They fell at once into the casual banter that characterized their intercourse.

"I wonder why I ever leave here?" he mused aloud, as the clock struck six. He had been studying with a slight shock the changes that had taken place in the few days since he had seen her. For the first time the suspicion crossed his mind that she might be seriously ill. Throughout their talk he had observed things, trifles, perhaps, but significant, which, if they had occurred before, had escaped him.

Susanne, Mrs. Ordway's maid, though modestly in the background, was rarely out of sight; and a white-capped nurse, till now an occasional and illusive vision in the halls, blew in and out of the sickroom like a breeze, bringing liquids in glasses, which the patient obediently swallowed. Laurie, his attention once caught, took it all in. But his face gave no hint of his new knowledge, and the eyes of Louise still met his with the challenge they turned on every one these days—a challenge that definitely forbade either understanding or sympathy.

"The real problem is why you ever come." She spoke lightly, but looked at him with genuine affection. Laurie was one of her favorites, her prime favorite, indeed, next to Bob and Barbara. He smiled at her with tender significance.

"You know why I come."

"I do," she agreed, "perfectly. I know you're quite capable of flirting with me, too, if I'd let you, you absurd boy. Dearie"—for a moment or two she was almost serious—"why why don't you fall in love?"

"And this from you?"

"Don't be foolish. You know I like your ties," she interpolated kindly. "But, really, isn't there some one?"

Laurie turned his profile to her, pulled a lock of hair over his brow, clasped his hands between his knees and posed estheteically.

"Do you know," he sighed, "I begin to think that, just possibly, perhaps, there's a slight chance—that there is!"

"Be serious. Tell me about her."

"Well, she's a girl." He produced this confidence with ponderous solemnity. "She lives across the square from me," he added.

"Things brighten," commented Louise, drily. "Go on."

"She's mysterious. I don't know who she is, or anything about her. But I know that she's in trouble."

"Of course she is! I have never known a mysterious maiden that wasn't," commented the woman of the world. "What's her particular variety of trouble?"

Laurie reflected.

"That's hard to say," he brought out at last. "But it appears to be mixed up with an offensive person in a crumpled blue suit who answers to the name of Herbert Ransome Shaw. Have you ever heard of him?"

Louise wrinkled her fastidious nose.

"Never, I'm happy to say. But he doesn't sound attractive. However, tell me about them. There seems a good chance that they may get you into trouble."

"That's what she said."

"It's the one gleam of intelligence I see in the situation," commented his candid friend. "Is she pretty?"

"As lovely in her way as you are. Think you could help her any?" wheedled Laurie.

"I doubt it. I'm too selfish to be bothered with girls who are in trouble. I'll tell you who can help her—Sonya Orleneff."

"Of course!" Laurie beamed at her. "Wonder why I didn't think of that."

"Probably because it was so obvious. Sonya is in town, as it happens, stopping at the Warwick. She has brought the Infant Samuel to New York to have his adenoids cut out. Samuel made a devastating visit here this morning. He's getting as fat as a little pig, and when he walks he puffs like a worn-out automobile going up a steep grade. He came up my stairs on 'low,' and I'm sure they heard him on the avenue. I almost offered him a glass of gasolene. But he is a lamb," she added reflectively. Oddly enough, Samuel, late of New York's tenements, was another of her favorites.

(Continued tomorrow)

EDUCATION BASED ON BETTER HEALTH

But Denying the Body Needful Foods to Gain a Fine Figure Is Wrong and May Lead to Serious Heart Trouble.

By ROYAL S. COPELAND, M. D.
United States Senator From New York.
Former Commissioner of Health, New York City.

DR. ROYAL S. COPELAND

It is said that college women are becoming taller and thinner. The instructor in physical education at the University of Kansas has reached this conclusion. After examining all the girls in the freshman class at the University she finds that the average freshman woman student is eighteen years and eight months old; the average weight is 119 pounds; the average height is 5 feet 4 6-10 inches.

I do not know how these figures compare with statistics compiled in other colleges. It would be interesting to get more information on this subject.

Girls entering college at eighteen, if properly trained and fed, will grow a good deal during the four years of a college career. Of course they will gain in weight as well as in height.

The other day as I entered the Senate Office Building I saw two little girls turning hand springs on the lawn at the side door. Gymnastic exercises of this sort begun in early life and continued through college days would make any girl lithe, active, and physically strong. Systematic exercise, too, is likely to prevent the development of excessive flesh.

But all the exercise in the world will go for nothing if there is a failure to practice the rules of right eating. If I were an instructor in physical education I should place great emphasis upon the instruction in food values and the daily food habits.

I do not need to tell any sensible person that starvation and self denial at the table do not insure good health or a perfect figure. There are certain demands of the body which must be heeded. If they are overlooked the health is sure to suffer.

I wonder if one reason why heart troubles are so prevalent is because the heart muscle is not fed as it should be. Every day we must take a certain amount of protein food. This is the sort of food that builds and repairs the body. Without it there can be no growth and no certainty of vigorous and normal organs. Not only the heart but all the organs of the body require protein food. They cannot be maintained and made capable of performing their daily function unless they are restored all the time through the agency of good foods.

I am glad the universities are giving heed to the matter of physical education. No matter how well worked out may be the curriculum, no matter how brilliant may be the student, no matter what information may be stored in the brain, all will go for naught if the body breaks and the health is impaired.

Answer To Health Queries.

R. M. K. Q.—What would you suggest for gall bladder trouble. I have been advised to take glycerin. Would this be helpful for the bladder and kidneys?

A.—Careful diet, avoidance of constipation, plenty of water between meals and regular outdoor exercise should help a gall bladder condition. In some instances an operation may be necessary. Have your doctor prescribe after a careful examination. If the glycerin was prescribed for your particular case by a doctor who is familiar with your condition there is no reason why you should hesitate in taking it.

R. S. T. Q.—What do you advise for high blood pressure?

A.—Careful diet and general care will usually reduce the blood pressure. For further particulars send a self-addressed, stamped envelope and repeat your question.

G. B. Q.—What causes a bad taste in the mouth?

2.—What causes ringing in the ears?

A.—This condition is usually due to poor elimination. This should be corrected. Eat simple, well-cooked food. Avoid food unduly rich in starches and fats.

2.—This is due to nasal catarrh which has extended to the middle ear. Send self-addressed, stamped envelope for further particulars and repeat your question.

A Reader. Q.—Can a diabetic eat raisins in moderation?

2.—Is saccharine advisable for a diabetic in place of sugar?

A.—Raisins are rich in sugar and should not be eaten by a diabetic. However, this would depend upon the patient's particular condition. Have your doctor advise you.

2.—Saccharine is a substitute for sugar and may be used by diabetics.

Steve Q.—What will clear up pimples?

2.—What will clear up nose bleeds? My nose has been bleeding for 2 weeks?

A.—A restricted diet and regular elimination should bring about results. For further particulars send a self-addressed, stamped envelope and repeat your question.

2.—First determine the cause of the trouble. Ulcers, a polypus or a catarrhal condition are all possible causes of nose bleeds.

Miss O. Q.—What would cause the hands to perspire in any weather?

A.—Nervousness is the usual cause. After washing, bathe the hands with a solution of alum, 2 drachms to a pint of water. If the trouble persists see your doctor about your nerves.

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St. Joseph Hopes for Radio Station

Powerful Broadcasting Apparatus to Be Installed at Hotel Robidoux, Present Plan.

St. Joseph, Aug. 10.—Hope that in the near future St. Joseph will have a radio station all its own, is being entertained by the radio committee of the St. Joseph Chamber of Commerce.

Just as soon as a government license has been issued to Jerry Hall and Ralph Foster, who operate radio broadcasting apparatus at 1221 Frederick avenue, a campaign to raise $54,000 to be used in establishing a large radio station in the Hotel Robidoux will be launched, it was said by W. E. Downs, proprietor of the Robidoux, who is chairman of the Chamber of Commerce committee.

The station now is giving only test programs, and will broadcast again Wednesday night on a wave length of 325 meters. The station has a maximum strength of 50 watts, and is audible in the summer a distance of 200 miles, according to Julius Abercrombie, radio expert, here. The station was erected, according to its operators, principally to aid in obtaining a government permit.

"The large station, of which the small one in the Foster-Hall Tire company building is a forerunner, will be installed in the Hotel Robidoux," said Mr. Downs. "Chris Neipp, who formerly held the lease on the Hotel Robidoux, promised a location for the station, and I will carry out his promise. Two rooms on the mezzanine floor will be given over to the broadcasting station. These will be glass enclosed, and will be equipped with the most modern radio equipment it is possible to obtain. A baby grand piano will be installed and drapes hung in the studio. A loud speaker will be placed outside the studio to enable persons watching to also hear the program."

Announces Plans for Big Marketing Profit

New Division of Co-Operative Marketing Selects Staff of 20 to 25 Technical Experts.

Washington, Aug. 10.—Plans for increasing profits by efficient marketing methods were announced today by A. W. McKay, acting director of the new division of co-operative marketing.

The division was created in the department of agriculture by a bill passed by congress after the McNary-Haugen "rider" and the Fess "substitute" had been defeated.

McKay announced the division is selecting a technical staff of from 20 to 25 experts to aid co-operative farm organizations.

The new division, McKay said will:

1. Study regional problems in marketing farm products and notify farmers in advance of planting what crops are likely to prove most profitable.

2. Collect all available information regarding co-operative organizations.

3. Investigate membership problems of co-operatives.

McKay said the division had already listed about 10,800 associations with a total membership of about 2,000,000 handling about $2,500,000,000 worth of agriculture products. The total value of American farm products is about $12,500,000,000 he said.

ATTRACTIVE WOMEN

If You Would Be Attractive You Must Be Healthy

A beautiful woman is always admired. There are many types of beauty. But no woman can be truly beautiful unless she is healthy. Radiant vitality is always attractive however plain a woman's features may be.

Many a woman has found her health improved thru the use of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Weakness, loss of weight, and a pale complexion were a few of the things of which Mrs. J. C. Taylor of Box 211, Tallahassee, Florida, complained before she started taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. "I could not even sit down and talk to a friend for any length of time," she states, "I would forget what I was talking about and felt so blue." Mrs. Taylor is so pleased with the work of the Vegetable Compound that she keeps a bottle of it in the house at all times—and when it is empty, her husband makes sure that she has a new bottle. "I have regained my strength," Mrs. Taylor writes. "I can do all my housework now and I feel just fine."

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is made from roots and herbs and has been growing in popularity among women for over fifty years.

Graham

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Rhoades and daughter, Dorothy, of Kansas City, spent Sunday with Dr. and Mrs. M. M. Rhoades.

Mr. and Mrs. Ova Zancker and daughter of Bendina, Kan., spent the week end with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. James Loffer left Monday morning for a trip through the Black Hills, S. Dak.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Freytag and Mrs. E. L. Morgan drove to St. Joseph Sunday afternoon to visit relatives.

Mrs. John Gex and daughter, Ruth, returned from St. Joseph Saturday evening, where Ruth had been in the Methodist Hospital for the past two weeks.

Mrs. Martin Weston and children left Thursday morning for Oklahoma to visit relatives.

Roger Miller, Misses Harriett Wright and Lela Wessell drove to New Market, Iowa, Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wright, who had been visiting relatives there for a week, returned home with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hooper and children, Dorothy and Dale, Mrs. Maud Milward and children, Paul, Eva and Eldon, all of Maryville, Jerry Putman, Louise Lowrance of Graham were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Herron, and enjoyed a birthday dinner given for Audrey Herron, youngest daughter of the hosts.

Mrs. Walter McGinness and children, Leora and Virginia and Miss Florence Gaddy left Monday to visit with Mr. and Mrs. Ted Wright near Haigler, Neb. Mrs. Charles Myers and children of Elmo will remain with Miss Lura Gaddy until her sister returns.

Mr. and Mrs. Wood Gillespie of Skidmore spent Sunday with Miss Lucy Black and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Black.

The horseshoe grounds next to the Mendenhall garage are now electrically lighted, and darkness no longer cuts short the game.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Hatfield left this morning for northern Iowa, where they will visit relatives for a couple of weeks.

Miss Wilma Schmidt went to Pattonsburg Thursday evening to visit one of her college friends.

The Sunday school class of the Christian church of which Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lyle are members, drove to their home Thursday evening and spent a social hour, and enjoyed refreshments of ice cream and cake, then all drove to the Barnard picnic for a short time.

Mrs. Raymond Geyer and son, Edward, drove to Maryville Monday, where Edward remained to attend the 4-H camp this week.

A social afternoon was spent Thursday at the home of Mrs. Dan Mowry, who entertained a number of friends in honor of Mrs. Chester Gordon. The home was beautifully decorated with garden flowers and various games were enjoyed and refreshments served. Those present were Mrs. Osie Cowden, Mrs. John Owers, Mrs. Fred Kemper, Mrs. Ida Holliday, Mrs. Lenn Daise, Mrs. James Scott, Mrs. Ralph Scott, Mrs. Wm. Sipes, Mrs. Charles Wakely, Mrs. Gerald Mendenhall, Mrs. Wood Mowry, Mrs. Lulu Gray, Mrs. Earl Markham, Misses Frances Leeper and Ruth Linville.

Clark Spencer, who was born near Graham, but left here 45 years ago, and now lives in California, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. James Kavanaugh last week. In company with Mr. Kavanaugh he visited various scenes of interest to him and looked up a number of old time friends. He will leave this week for Oklahoma to visit his brother, whom he has not seen for many years.

Charleston—A heavy building program has been started here. It includes a $100,000 high school, fire station and waterworks, pumping plant, sewers and a new merchantile establishment.

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Notice to Creditors of the Real Estate Bank of Maryville, Missouri.

(DATE OF FIRST ISSUE JUNE 1, 1926.)

ALL PERSONS WHO MAY HAVE CLAIMS AGAINST THE REAL ESTATE BANK OF MARYVILLE, MISSOURI, ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED TO PRESENT THE SAME TO THE UNDERSIGNED AND MAKE PROPER PROOF THEREOF WITHIN FOUR MONTHS FROM THE ABOVE DATE AT THE BANKING ROOM OF SAID BANK IN MARYVILLE, 201 EAST 4TH STREET, NODAWAY COUNTY, MISSOURI, AND THEY ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED THAT THE LAST DATE FOR PRESENTING SAID PROOFS WILL BE OCTOBER 2ND, 1926.

C. E. FRENCH
Commissioner of Finance of the State of Missouri, in charge of the property and business of said Real Estate Bank.

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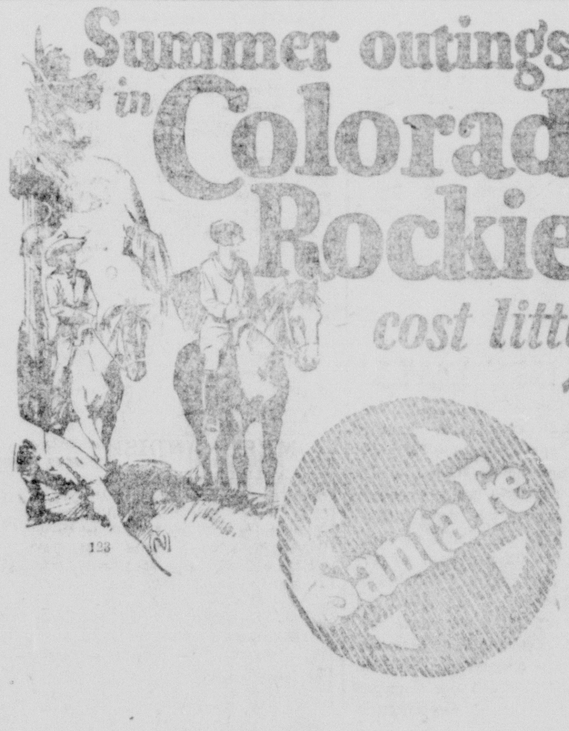

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LOST—Auto license plate 1369.—Return to this office.

LOST—Black case containing four keys; "H. R. O." and "Bun" on outside of case.—Return to this office.

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NATURAL ICE
at the door.
50c per 100 lb.
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at Platforms.
WM. EVERHART

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SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE 29

SINGLE MAN wants work in town or on the farm.—Call Hanamo 6527.

LIVESTOCK

POULTRY AND SUPPLIES 33

FOR SALE—100 purebred White Leghorn hens, last year's hatch. Also 100 pullets.—E. R. Pyles, 420 West 9th, Farmers 89-15.

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ARTICLES FOR SALE 37

FOR SALE—Altman Taylor Clover Huller, No. 3, A-1 condition, ready to go to work.—Call or write, E. R. Bird, Quitman.

GRAPES—No. 1, Moore's Early.—A. C. Howard, Farmers 14-17.

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FOR SALE—Cannaird Seed Wheat; also 600 bushels of corn and a John Deere Corn Binder.—Jim Lynch, Conception Junction.

REAL for used cars WANT ADS

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APARTMENTS AND FLATS 39

FOR RENT—Aug. 1st—Furnished or unfurnished 3-room and 5-room modern apartment. Just freshly refinished in old ivory. Oak floors and built-in features.
CASE FURNITURE EXCHANGE

HOUSES FOR RENT 42

FOR RENT—The Mary J. Scott property at the Northeast corner of Seventh and Fillmore. This is a modern house of eight rooms. Splendid location, about half way between the public square and the State Teacher's College.—Inquire of the Gillam-Jackson Loan & Trust Co.

FOR RENT—New 6-room house, all modern.—Call Hanamo 473.

ROOMS FOR RENT 43

FOR RENT—Two modern rooms. Furnished for light housekeeping and garage.—Call this office or Hanamo 3511.

FOR RENT—Large modern furnished downstairs room, close in.—Hanamo 3097.

FOR RENT—Modern light housekeeping rooms for married couple.—309 West Thompson.

WANTED—TO RENT 44

WANTED—Modern apartment or light housekeeping rooms.—Call Hanamo 80, before 5.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—10 room house modern, West Side. Possession September 1.—Herndon & Doffing.

FARMS AND LAND FOR SALE 46

FOR SALE
A good Nodaway County 160-acre—good improvements; price $125 per acre. Can use small part in trade with some cash.
C. D. ALLEN
119 East Fourth St.

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FOR SALE—Residence at 303 West 2nd Street. Leaving Maryville September 1st.—Call Hanamo 76.

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(1st insertion July 29, last August 17).
NOTICE OF SELECTION OF DEPOSITORY FOR SCHOOL FUNDS OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT OF MARYVILLE, MISSOURI.

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Directors of the School District of Maryville, Missouri, will receive sealed bids from such banks and banking corporations as may desire to be selected as depositories of the funds of the district. Bids will be received until noon of the 19th day of August, 1926. The funds of the district will be divided into three equal parts, and the bidder will state how many parts it desires. The depository or depositories selected will pay interest to the district, computed on daily balances, for all funds of the district deposited with it, and the bidder will state the highest rate of interest it will pay.

Bond for the protection of the funds deposited in the selected depository will be required under the provisions of Section 9585 R. S. 1919. Proposals may be left with the secretary of the board at his office in the Court House.

Done by order of the board.
L. C. COOK, President.
GEO. P. WRIGHT, Secretary.

LIBERTY

Jim Lowe went to Maryville Sunday to visit his sister, who is a patient in St. Francis Hospital.

Every one in this part attended the Barnard Picnic last week.

Mrs. Arno Fanning, daughter, Doris, of Maryville, visited Mr. and Mrs. Dale Goforth and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fanning last week.

Last Friday morning a few of the people of the Harmony community started to the Barnard Picnic. Every thing went all right until they reached the Bloom corner, then bad luck overtook them. They had tire trouble and of course it never rains but it pours. Elmer McKee said he had driven from Minnesota to Estes Park and back and he never had as much bad luck in all those trips as he did right there in that one little place.

Mrs. Frank Jobe and daughters, Mary and Nellie shopped in Guilford last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Parker drove to Maryville Tuesday morning.

Frank Jobe and family visited at Frank Fannings Sunday evening.

Fredericktown—Work has been begun on a project for converting a group of merchantile buildings here into a modern three-story hotel. It will have about thirty rooms.

Edina—A flower show is to be held here August 14, with contests for dahlias, marigolds, petunias, cosmos and other flowers.

One Woman in Senate Race in Ohio Primary

Another Would Become Governor Of State—Number of Gubernatorial Candidates This Year.

Columbus, O., Aug 10.—Two women seeking the two highest offices the state can bestow, were among candidates in the Ohio primary election today.

Miss Florence E. Allen, associate justice of the supreme court, is a candidate for the Democratic nomination for United States Senator. She is the first of her sex to seek this office in Ohio. Mrs. Evalyn Frances Snow, a former member of the state board of censorship, is a Republican candidate for the gubernatorial nomination.

Opposing Miss Allen is former Senator Atlee Pomerene, and Mrs. Snow is one of 11 seeking the Republican nomination for governor.

The Republicans this year present an unusually large roster of gubernatorial candidates, with 11 aspirants. However, the race has narrowed down to three leading candidates—Secretary of State Thad Brown, Myers Y. Cooper and State Treasurer Harry S. Day.

Little interest centers about the Democratic gubernatorial election. Governor Vic Donahey, seeking a third term, has for his opponent, A. P. Sandles, James C. B. Beatty, and J. H. Kauffman. Politicians expected Governor Donahey again will be the Democratic standard bearer.

The other Republican gubernatorial candidates are: Grant Beam, Ross P. Buchanan, Charles J. Dircks, Harry C. Gibson, Harry A. Shanley, Joseph B. Sieber, Harvey C. Smith, and William Grant Webster.

In the Republican contest for the senatorial nomination, Senator Frank B. Willis is arrayed against a field of seven other contenders. He has been endorsed by state dry forces. His opponents for the nomination include: Albert D. Alcorn, Charles Dick, Alfred J. Fiorini, C. Q. Hildebrant, Thomas W. Latham, Lloyd A. Price, and George L. Watson.

Other state offices to be filled at the elections in November for which candidates sought nominations today, were lieutenant-governor, secretary of state, treasurer of state, attorney-general, and three supreme court benches—chief justice, and two associate justices. A total of 87 candidates will present themselves to the voters—considered an unusually large number in Ohio.

No outstanding issue is before the voters. Most of the gubernatorial candidates have remained non-committal on the question of law enforcement. Only one—State Treasurer Day—has come out definitely as an advocate of dry enforcement. Miss Allen is considered an ally of the Anti-Saloon League, having been also endorsed by that organization as a "satisfactory" candidate.

Governor Donahey has been standing on his record of having "built and improved more roads in the state than ever attempted before by any governor." His stand on labor questions has gained him the support of almost all labor federations.

Big Alabama Vote Expected.

Birmingham, Ala., Aug. 10.—More than 225,000 Democrats of Alabama will cast their votes in today's primary it was predicted last night when the most spirited campaign for United States senator and governor witnessed in the state in 12 years came to a close.

Five candidates seek nomination for the seat in the United States senate, which will be vacated when Oscar W. Underwood retires on March 4, 1927. Two of the candidates have Ku Klux Klan backing, L. B. Musgrove of Jasper, being indorsed by the national organization, and Hugo Black of Birmingham, being supported by the Alabama Klan. Neither of the candidates has in any way mentioned the Klan during the campaign.

Dan Sullivan, member of the grand kloncilium, stated that the national organization indorsed Musgrove for his attack on Underwood, whom Sullivan characterized as "one of the Klan's greatest foes." Other candidates for the Underwood seat are J. H. Bankhead of Jasper; Thomas E. Kilby of Anniston, and James J. Mayfield of Montgomery.

Four candidates for the gubernatorial nomination made road building an issue.

Candidates for governor are Charles McDowell, jr., lieutenant-governor; A. H. Carmichael, Bibb Graves, and A. G. Patterson. Congressmen from ten districts will be nominated.

Bitter Campaign in Arkansas.

Little Rock, Ark., Aug. 10.—One of the most bitter campaigns in Arkansas has ended and voters went to the polls today to choose the Democratic nominees for governor; for two seats in congress, and for various state and county offices.

Because of the intense campaign waged in the gubernatorial contest between Gov. Tom J. Terral and Judge John E. Martineau of Little Rock, political leaders forecast a large vote.

The prohibition question has figured largely in this campaign. The Rev. Paul E. Kemper, superintendent of the state Anti-Saloon league, in an open letter to ministers, gave his personal endorsement to Governor Terral, and asserted that the liquor question was one of the issues. Ministers who favor Martineau publicly protested against Mr. Kemper's action.

Governor Terral has charged that Judge Martineau drinks to excess and has criticized his judicial actions. Martineau, in return, charged that the governor had abused his power as chief executive.

Bones of White Race Found in California

San Diego, Cal., Aug. 10.—Origin of 20 skeletons, uncovered by commercial excavators near here, is puzzling scientists. The absence of utensils and weapons near the bones led to the belief the spot was an Indian burial ground.

"The bones appeared to have been buried about 200 or 300 years and seem to be those of some European race," said Dr. Wesley Bradfield, associate director of the San Diego Museum.

Women Draw Lightning Asserts French Priest

Vienna—Women are especially dangerous companions during an electric storm, a woman contributor wrote to the Vienna newspaper "Neues Wiener Journal." As her authority for this statement she cited an unnamed Swiss priest.

"After mass had been said one Sunday," she wrote, "I tarried some minutes in the church and got into conversation with the priest, an old friend of mine. I asked him why he insisted on separating the men from the women during service. He replied: 'It is better so. When lightning strikes a church it always strikes that part in which the greatest number of women are congregated. Women have a magnetism for lightning as well as for light-minded men.'"

In Controversy Over Scripps Newspapers

Widow of Famous Publisher Asks Ten Million in Cash, Stocks and Bonds of Enterprise.

Hamilton, Ohio, Aug. 10.—The balance of power in the majority of the Scripps newspaper enterprises, heretofore vested in the estate of the late E. W. Scripps, is affected in a claim against the estate on file in probate court here today. The claim is made by the estate of James G. Scripps, son of E. W. Scripps, and for many years actively engaged in managing the Scripps papers.

More than 10 million dollars in cash, tsocks and bonds in the E. W. Scripps estate is claimed by the widow of James Scripps. Unless the claim is allowed suit will be filed against the Scripps estate for the sum alleged to be due the daughter-in-law and her heirs, attorneys for Mrs. Scripps announced today.

Unionville—A five-day Chautauqua program beginning August 24, is to be given absolutely free to all.

West Plains—The Ozark's Chamber of Commerce has selected this city for their next meeting in December.

DAILY MARKET REPORT

ST. JOSEPH LIVE STOCK.

Hogs.

Receipts 5,000; market steady to 15c lower.

Top, $13; bulk, $10 to $12.85.

Cattle.

Receipts 2,500; market steady to 15c higher.

Bulk of steers, $8.25 to $9.75.

Top, $10.

Cows and heifers, $3.25 to $9.25.

Calves, $5 to $11.

Stockers and feeders, $5.25 to $8.25.

Sheep.

Receipts 6,000; market slow; lower.

Lambs, $12.75 to $14.

Ewes, $6 to $7.

EAST ST. LOUIS LIVE STOCK.

Cattle.

Receipts 7,000; market steady to strong.

Hogs

Receipts 10,500; market 15c to 25c lower.

Sheep

Receipts 23,000; market slow.

KANSAS CITY LIVE STOCK.

Hogs.

Receipts 6,000; market 10c to 25c off.

Bulk, $10.50 to $12.85.

Heavies, $11.25 to $12.25.

Butchers, $12 to $12.85.

Lights, $12.75 to $13.

Pigs, $12.50 to $13.25.

Cattle.

Receipts 13,500; market strong.

Prime fed steers, $9.35 to $10.35.

Dressed beef steers, $7 to $9.35.

Western steers, $7.25 to $9.25.

Southern steers, $5 to $8.50.

Cows, $3 to $7.25.

Heifers, $5 to $9.75.

Stockers and Feeders, $5.25 to $8.50.

Bulls, $4.50 to $5.50.

Calves, $5 to $11.

Sheep.

Receipts 8,000; market steady.

Spring lambs, $12.25 to $14.25.

Yearlings, $9.50 to $10.50.

Ewes, $4.50 to $7.10.

Wethers, $7.50 to $8.50.

Stockers and feeders, $12.50 to $13.25.

OMAHA LIVE STOCK.

Cattle.

Receipts 6,500; market steady.

Hogs.

Receipts 13,500; market steady to 25c lower.

Sheep.

Receipts 4,000; market steady.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

Hogs.

Receipts 23,000; market 15c to 25c lower.

Cattle.

Receipts 12,000; market slow; strong.

Sheep.

Receipts 18,000; market slow; 25c off.

Chicago Grain Table.

	Open	High	Low	Close	Yest.
Wheat—					
May	1.47½	1.49¼	1.47½	1.49⅛	1.47½
Sept.	1.38⅜	1.40½	1.38⅜	1.39⅞	1.38½
Dec.	1.42⅝	1.44⅜	1.42⅝	1.44	1.42⅝
CORN—					
May	.95¼	.96⅜	.94⅞	.96¼	.94⅞
Sept.	.84½	.85½	.84¾	.85¼	.84½
Dec.	.89¼	.90¼	.89	.90	.89

Chicago Cash Grain.

WHEAT—No. 1 red, $1.39¼; No. 2 red, $1.38½ to $1.40; No. 3 red, $1.36½ to $1.37; No. 1 hard, $1.40¼ to $1.41¾; No. 2 hard, $1.39½ to $1.40¾; No. 3 hard, $1.35 to $1.38¾.

CORN—No. 2 yellow, 84½c to 85c; No. 3 yellow, 83c; No. 3 mixed, 82¼c; No. 2 white, 84¼c.

OATS—No. 2 white, 41¾c to 43c.

HAY—Timothy, $5.25 to $5.75; clover, $22 to $30.

RYE—$1.04½ to $1.05.

BARLEY—63c to 72c.

Kansas City Grain, Hay, Produce

WHEAT—433 cars; hard, 1c to 1½c up; red, 1c to 1½c up; No. 2 hard, $1.31½ to $1.38; No. 3 hard, $1.31 to $1.37; No. 2 red, $1.33½ to $1.34; No. 3 red, $1.31 to $1.33½.

CORN—13 cars; market unchanged; No. 2 mixed, 84c to 85½c; No. 3 mixed, 83c to 84c; No. 2 yellow, 87c to 88½c; No. 3 yellow, 85½c to 87c; No. 2 white, 84c to 85½c.

OATS—5 cars; market ½c to 1c up; No. 2 white, 42c to 42½c.

RYE—No. 2, $1.00 to $1.01.

HAY—Prairie, choice, $12 to $12.50; timothy, No. 1, $15 to $15.50; alfalfa, choice, $20.50 to $21.

Eggs, 27½c; selected, 32c; butter, 42c to 43c; packing, 23c; hens, 21c; turkeys and young toms, 30; broilers, 27c; ducks, 13c; geese, 9c.

Closing Grain Review.

Chicago, Aug. 10.—Operators marked time during today's session of the Chicago Board of Trade. The volume of trading was small. The small volume of business naturally made price levels sensitive and lower were fluctuations on the slightest developments.

Wheat closed sharply above yesterday's levels registering gains of 1⅜ to 1⅝ cents.

It was an evening up affair in the corn pit. Prices were from ⅝ to 1⅜ cents above the previous close.

Oats showed the least activity and prices were within the narrowest range being ⅜ to ⅞ cent up at the close.

Provisions were lower because of the heavy hog receipts and the dip in pork values.

LOCAL MARKETS.

Cream, per lb.	35c
Eggs, per doz.	23c
Hens, per lb.	18c
Light Hens, per lb.	16c
Springs, per lb.	21c
Leghorn Springs, per lb.	18c
Cocks, per lb.	7c
Geese, per lb.	10c
Hides, per lb.	5c
Ducks, per lb.	10c

LAMBS LOWER; HOGS HIGHER; SOME CATTLE STRONG.

Kansas City Stock Yards, August 9.—Lambs were quoted weak to 25 cents lower but at the decline the market here sustained a relatively strong position. Trade was active. Hogs advanced 15 to 25 cents, in some cases more, under an active call from both shippers and packers. Grain fed cattle ruled stronger, best light weight grassers steady and other classes weak to a shade lower. The first large run of grazed cattle this year was reported and general grade showed increased volume in keeping with the supply.

Today's Receipts.

Today's receipts were 25,000 cattle 9,000 hogs, and 9,000 sheep, compared with 12,000 cattle, 11,000 hogs and 7,000 sheep a week ago, and 35,350 cattle, 6,200 hogs, and 13,765 sheep a year ago.

Beef Cattle.

The big movement of summer grazed cattle has started. It is already three weeks later than usual and still materially short of a year ago. However, the trade after being indifferent for several weeks past took on increasing volume today and it is the general opinion that the larger runs can be cared for easily. Grain fed steers were in moderate supply at strong prices. Choice steers and heifers mixed made the top at $10. Other light weight grain fed yearlings $9.50 to $9.85 and grass yearlings $8.50 to $9.10. Short fed steers sold at $8.25 to $9.25; Texas cake feds $7.25 to $8.25; Kansas wintered steers $7.25 to $8.25 and straight grassers $5.50 to $7.85. Cows and heifers were steady to 25 cents lower. Fed grades were scarce and steady. Veal calves were 50 cents lower, top $11.

Stockers and Feeders.

Larger receipts of stockers and feeders than at any previous time this year attracted increased demand and prices held close to steady in the average. In some cases light weight stockers were strong. Fleshy feeders were quoted weak.

Hogs.

A 15 to 25 cent advance in hogs today took the market back to the new high position of last week and returned the $13 price to the list of quotations. Trade was active. Choice 140 to 160 pound hogs sold at $13 to $13.25; 165 to 225 pounds $12.75 to $13.10; 225 to 250 pounds $12.40 to $12.75; 250 to 280 pounds $12 to $12.40; 280 to 325 pounds, $10.75 to $12; packing sows $9.25 to $10.25; stock hogs and pigs $12.50 to $13.25.

Sheep and Lambs.

Sheep and lambs sold at weak to 25 cents lower prices than late last week though the trade maintained an active turn. Western lambs brought $13.75 to $14.25; native lambs $12.50 to $13.50; culls $8 to $9; yearlings $9.50 to $10.50; wethers $7.50 to $8.50; ewes $5 to $7 and feeding lambs $12 to $13.25.

Horses and Mules.

With increased receipts the trade in horses and mules has developed larger volume at firm prices.

CHAS. M. PIPKIN,
Market Correspondent.

England Identifying Her Unknown Soldiers

London—England is slowly, almost imperceptibly, uncovering the identity of her "unknown" soldiers.

Although the war has been over for nearly eight years, one section of the British Government is still running down clues which may solve the fate of soldiers reported "missing" or the dead who were buried as "unknown."

All types of clues are used by the War Office in the search for a name or address. Scraps of paper, old pocketbooks, a dog license, or many other seemingly insignificant articles have led to the identity of more than 20,000 men, who fell in the war and who had previously been reported "missing or unknown."

WIRE FENCE
Barbed Wire and Steel Posts.
HOLT SUPPLY CO.

LITTLE ORPHAN ANNIE: Soft Hearted Annie

WHEN YOU GET THAT WATER ALL CARRIED OPEN UP A BALE O' HAY FOR PEE WEE, WILL-YUH?
QUITE RIGHT, MEMSAHIB-
SAY, IS THAT BIRD EARNIN' HIS PAY AROUND HERE, ANNIE?
OH, HE'S ALL RIGHT, BOSS- SORTA LAZY BUT HE DOES WHAT I TELL HIM-
WELL, ANY TIME YOU SAY THE WORD I'LL CAN HIM FOR YOU- YOU'RE BOSS OF THE ELEPHANTS- WHAT YOU SAY GOES-
OH, I DON'T WANT TO GET HIM FIRED- HE'S DOIN' THE BEST HE CAN, I GUESS-
THAT MAHOUT GUY SURE IS A FALSE ALARM- BUT GEE WHISKERS- WITH JOBS AS HARD TO GET AS THEY ARE THESE DAYS I HAVEN'T TH' HEART TO GET THAT POOR BIRD FIRED- 'TWOULDN'T BE RIGHT-
HAROLD GRAY
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Can't Obtain Good Liquor

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they have one thousand bottles in the office in Chicago that were found on the dead bodies of the men and women who were killed by drinking part of the contents. Government agents are required to send to the department a sample of every seizure of liquor made and they are almost invariably denatured alcohol and it is rare that any person can continue drinking the stuff for more than three years and live. Some die quickly from the poison; others by slow poison. The doctors give certificates of death by some other name but the real cause is "denatured alcohol."

The Best Is No Good.

Mr. MacDonald told of a visit to the lumberman's convention in Kansas City a year or so ago and he found that the guests were buying "pure Scotch whisky" in one of the high class hotels at eight dollars a bottle It was put up in fine imported bottles and labeled and guaranteed as absolutely pure stuff. He got a bottle and had it analyzed and found that was nothing but denatured alcohol and creosote. He tried everywhere to find a bit of liquor that did not contain poison and finally in Chicago he thought he had succeeded and paid sixteen dollars for a bottle of it. The men who were drinking it were absolutely confident that it was pure imported stuff. He had it analyzed and found it was embalming fluid.

No Pure Liquor Imported.

Mr. MacDonald stated that not one bottle of pure liquor is imported from foreign countries. What purports to be pure stuff is made from the same old source, denatured alcohol—because it can be made so much more cheaply and so quickly. It can be made in fifteen minutes and the profits are enormous. Every bootlegger is a murderer, says Mr. MacDonald, because he knows that his stuff is poison. He told of a friend of his in Kansas City whom he visited a year or so ago. The friend was drinking beer which he got from a personal friend. MacDonald ask him if he knew what he was drinking. "Yes, my friend would not lie to me; it is pure stuff." Shortly after the "friend bootlegger fell dead in front of his own office—he had made the mistake of drinking a little of his own liquor. Investigation showed that he died of bichloride of mercury poison in the beer. Then the friend took to drinking square bottle Gordon Gin which he decided was absolutely pure. Soon after he died suddenly in his bath room, killed by the poison.

Mr. MacDonald told of his visits to some of the real stills where liquor is made in the caves and back woods and other places where they can hide away. It is a slow process by the regular way and the smell from the mash is very likely to lead to the detection so they use concentrated lye in the mash to hurry up the fermentation; thus they get the liquor quickly and the people who drink it drink the lye. In one place they found the decayed carcass of a rat and thousands of dead spiders, grasshoppers, bugs and other insects in the vats. When the manufacturer was asked if he sent out that kind of stuff for people to drink he said, "No, he always strained it first and gave them only the clear liquor.

Remedy To Let It Alone.

"What is the remedy," MacDonald asked. Let it alone. No one has to drink the stuff. Another remedy is better enforcement; tighten up at the source of supply and see that the denatured alcohol goes only to legitimate uses. Ask if he thought the government was in favor of enforcement he stated that he believed President Coolidge was doing all he could and believed in it. Secretary Mellon does not believe in it but he had been assured that Mellon was making a genuine effort to enforce the law. Asked why Coolidge did not fire Mellon he said that in other respects Mellon was the greatest secretary of the treasury the country had ever had, a wizard of finance.

Mr. MacDonald said that the wets are honest in their statement that they do not want the return of the saloon. They have no idea of repealing the 18th amendment, but they are making a great effort to get congress to designate light wines and beer as not intoxicating. If such decision were made then wine and beer would be sold at all soda fountains, in grocery stores and cafes just the same as tea and coffee or bread or ice cream. There would be and could be no restrictions. Neither a state nor a city could make a law to restrict the sale because it could not go contrary to the federal government. Beer and wine would be sold in score of places in Maryville as openly and freely as ice cream.

There is no such thing as light wine, because if it contains less than eight percent alcohol it will turn to vinegar. The beer asked for is 2.75 percent by weight which is the same as the old standard beer of 3.53 percent by volume. Two bottles of such beer contains a tea cup full of raw alcohol and will make the worst old toper drunk if he drinks it.

Mr. MacDonald visited many of the cities and towns in Canada studying the so called government control of the liquor traffic and he said that it is just reversed; the liquor traffic controls the government. He found two hundred open saloons in Montreal and two hundred bootleg night life clubs. In Vancouver he cut seven pages of liquor advertisements out of one issue of a daily paper, advertising the brands of liquor sold—not by the government, but by the dealers. And this, said he, is the reason so many of the big newspapers of this country are wet—they visualize the vast income they will receive from the liquor interests whenever the government lays down the bars and permits liquor advertisements. One American newspaper lost thirty thousand dollars a month when the government forbid the use of liquor advertisements.

In conclusion he urged that every man and woman stand firm and vote only for officials high and low that are opposed to the drink evil.

Weatherman Team in a Horseshoe Victory

Caudiff Team Defeated in Match Played at 'Barnard Picnic Saturday. —Kelley Is High-Point Man.

The Weatherman's horseshoe team won from the Caudiff team in a match played at the Barnard Picnic Saturday. Kelley was high point man and high ringer man of the match.

Those on the winning team were: Kelley, Pfender, Manship, Hoshor, Beattie, Manley, Whorton, and Dreher. The Caudiff team was composed of McCoppin, Shaffer, Icke, Manship, Thompson, Cox, Dunn, and Schottel.

The players were from Bolckow Graham, Cosby Guilford, and Barnard

C. R. Tame Sues to Perfect Land Title

By James C. Pistole, his curator, Claude R. Tame, a minor, today filed a suit in circuit court to perfect title to land in sections 31 and 32, township 67, range 34, located about three miles northeast of Hopkins.

The defendants named in the suit are Zebediah and Frances Baker, John Duncan, William Astime, Jonathan H. and Abigail T. Stine, William A. and Mary J. Stime, William F. Harper, Parks and Eliza Jane Brittain, E. B. Allen, Jacob and Suvrice Bell, L. D. Larribee, and all their unknown heirs.

The land is described as the southeast quarter of the northeast quarter and the northeast quarter of the southeast quarter of section 31, and a tract 70 yards wide off the west side of the southwest quarter of the northwest quarter of section 32.

Jailed Congressman's Wife "Vindicates" Him

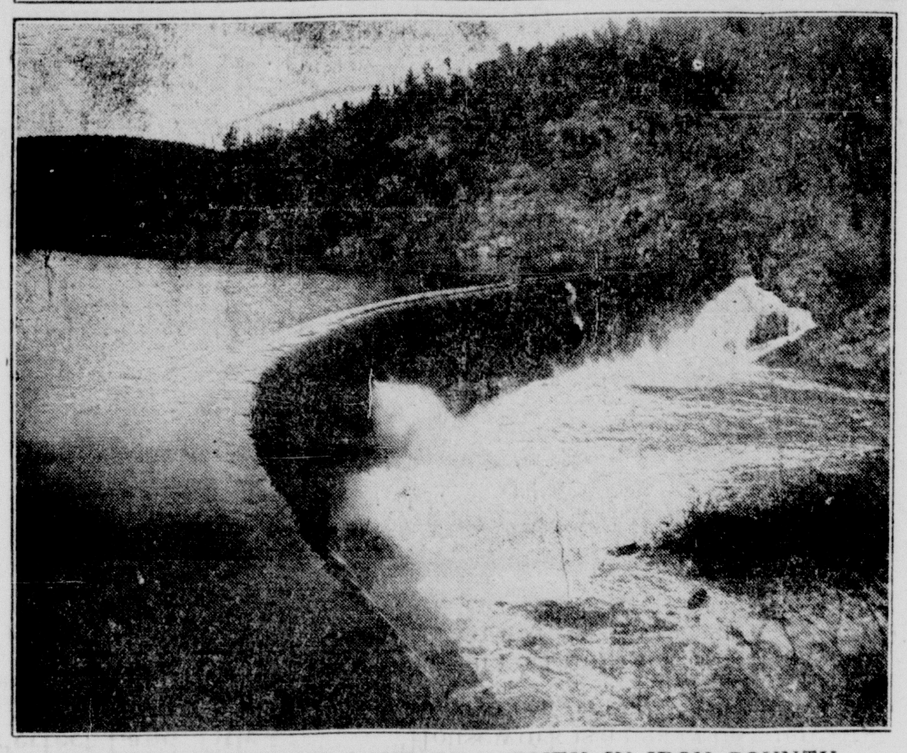
Mrs. John W. Langley Wins Congressional Nomination In Kentucky By Large Majority.

Louisville, Ky., Aug. 10.—Further returns from the First district indicated that W. Voris Gregory, Mayfield, had won the Democratic nomination for congress by a narrow margin in Saturday's primary. Garth K. Ferguson, his closest opponent, however, refused to concede and declared it would take an official count to determine the winner. Gregory claimed victory by 300 plurality. Henry DeHaven Moorman in the Fourth District, Congressman M. P. Thatcher, Republican in the Fifth, and Mrs. John W. Langley, Republican, in the Tenth, won easily in the only other districts where the contests were "warm enough" to interest a generally apathetic electorate.

Mrs. Langley waged an intensive campaign for "vindication" of her husband, the former congressman, who resigned when he began serving a two-year sentence in prison for conspiracy to violate the prohibition law. She made more than 100 speeches during the two months' campaign. Mrs. Langley said she was "extremely happy" over her "wonderful majority and great victory."

She will succeed A. J. Kirk, who is serving the unexpired term of her husband.

ONE OF MISSOURI'S BEAUTY SPOTS ON THE STATE HIGHWAY SYSTEM



RAINBOW DAM AND LAKE KILLARNEY, IN IRON COUNTY

One of the many attractions for the tourist and nature lover in Iron county near to Highway No. 70 is Lake Killarney, which lies like a jewel in rare setting and reflects back the steep green-clad hills that surround Arcadia Valley. It is fed by Stout's Creek, a historic water course winding between narrow rocky gorges, giving it at this point the name of "Shut-In." Lake Killarney, while not a natural lake, has all of the wild beauty and attractions that are found only in secluded places, where the forces of nature have been at work for centuries. This clear, beautiful body of water covers several hundred acres, and is a popular vacation point for city folk.—*The Missouri Association Service, Jefferson City, Mo.*

U. S. Supplies World With Chewing Gum

Washington, Aug. 10.—Uncle Sam is supplying the world with chewing gum. His trade in this indispensable appurtenance of stenographers increased more in 1925 than did any other branch of the foreign candy trade.

Commerce Department statistics disclose that $4,536,010 of American confectionary, including gum,chocolate and other sweets, was sold abroad last year, as compared with $3,516,000, the year before, and $1,469,000 in 1913.

Read the Want Ads.

EIGHTH GRADE EXAMINATIONS

On Monday, August 16, I will conduct examinations for those eighth grade pupils who failed in a few subjects last spring. The examinations will begin at 9 a. m. in my office.

Leslie G. Somerville
County School Superintendent.

Electric Servants

"Housework is a heavy burden after your illness, isn't it?"

"Yes, it certainly is. But what can one do? It is almost impossible to employ servants."

"Why don't you get electric servants?"

"What are they?"

"Vacuum cleaners, electric irons, electric fans, electric grills, electric sewing machines — all sorts of things."

"But they mean quite a little investment, don't they? Aren't they costly?"

"What I do is to read the Want Ads in The Democrat-Forum and Tribune. I find that I can pick up almost anything I want—at a bargain—by watching the ads closely."

Democrat-Forum
And Tribune

Local Swimmers Will Meet St. Joseph Team

Meet to Be Held in Both Men's and Women's Swimming at Aley Pool at 7:30 Tomorrow Night.

Swimmers from the Aley Sanitary Swimming Pool will meet representatives of the St. Joseph municipal pool in a swimming and diving meet at the local pool at 7:30 o'clock tomorrow night.

Following are the events with the Maryville entries:

Men's fancy diving—Maurice Strong, George Murray, Wallace Hilsabeck.

Men's 30-yard free-style swim—Strong, Hilsabeck, Murray.

Men's 30-yard back stroke—H. R. O'Banion.

Men's under-water swim for distance—Hilsabeck.

Men's relay—Strong, Hilsabeck, Murray, Burdick.

Boy's fancy diving—Charles Aley, Richard Coburn, Mat Conway.

Boy's 30-yard free-style swim—Nelson, Conway, Aley.

Boy's 30-yard back stroke — Carl Price.

Boy's relay—Aley, Conway, Nelson, Smith.

Women's fancy diving—Mrs. George Murray, Opal Hantze, Elva and Mable Aley.

Women's 30-yard free-style swim—Mrs. George Murray, Julia Aley, Elva Aley.

Women's relay—Mrs. Murray, Elva and Julia Aley, and Opal Hantze.

Resort Mayor's Wail Draws Many Visitors

Matlock, Eng., Aug. 10.—When the old-fashioned mayor of this old-fashioned health resort complained recently in a Sunday newspaper that "ninety percent of our inhabitants this summer are girls," he launched one of the greatest sociological investigations of modern times.

For the young men of England, struck by the novelty of a whole town populated almost entirely by girls, seem to have decided to put in their holidays studying the various aspects of so unusual a community. They have filled up as by magic every hall bedroom in Matlocks. Four jazz orchestras are arriving this week-end to assist in the scientific research.

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A. F. & A. M.
Regular Communication
Wednesday night at 8 o'clock.
Work in First Degree.
First Meeting In New Masonic Hall
E. V. CONDON, W. M.
L. P. COLVIN, Sec'y.

Have your car refinished under the protection of this sign

DUCO IT
AUTHORIZED AUTO RE-FINISHING STATION

The refinisher who will say to you "This finish is like Duco" also says, in other words, 'It is not Duco. I wish it were" . . . and this is a compliment to Duco. At our shop the question is always silently answered by the Authorized Duco Refinishing Station sign, for this sign is furnished by the du Pont Company only after du Pont inspectors have satisfied themselves that no other than genuine Duco and genuine Duco undercoating materials are being used, and in the proper way. The sign will be forfeited to the du Pont Company at any time their inspectors—who regularly visit our shop—disapprove of our methods of workmanship.

There are a number of excellent reasons for refinishing your automobile in Duco. There is the personal pride in driving a car which rivals in appearance the latest models on the road. The economy of keeping the finish in perfect condition is to be considered. To keep Duco lustrous it only requires a few minutes with a dry cloth rather than frequent washing charges. Constant care is no longer the price of enduring newness.

More than all there is the increased turn-in value which Duco gives your car. Sometimes this increase fully equals the entire refinishing cost, this being particularly true in the case of machines which are mechanically perfect though shabby in appearance.

Instead of growing dull after a few months, the gleaming lustre of Duco is retained for years if given even ordinary care. For Duco, rather than becoming spotted and streaked by rain and mud or faded by salt air or alkaline dust, actually smiles at exposure. Ice or snow, or boiling water from the radiator, do not affect it. Gas, oil or even battery solution carelessly spilled on the finish will not mar it. After a dusty, muddy journey a washing and a polish with Duco Polish No. 7 will bring back the full fresh, original beauty of a Duco finish.

Lanning Tire, Top, Paint and Varnish Co.
MAIN AT FIRST.

Come to Beautiful
KELSO
Amusement Haven
The Vacation Spot Ideal

Here you'll find—a spot that nature surely designed for a Summer Haven—which has been improved until today it is an ideal vacation spot. A beautiful pool, filled with fresh, sparkling water, and filled at all times with swimmers from far and near. A Ferris wheel located right at the top of the hill, which gives you a view without equal, a Merry-go-Round for young and old. Benches and chairs and tables aplenty for all picnickers.

But that's not all—here's a dance hall—on the highest spot—with breezes passing through it from every direction; good floor, well kept; good music; good order. Dancing Wednesday and Saturday evenings. Come on over and enjoy yourselves.

Come Over, Maryville!

Every day crowds are here picnicking. Wednesdays and Saturdays the dances are well attended. Children find it their play courts. Come! Bring the family. Stay all day and all evening. Swim, ride, picnic, dance; and then go home feeling fine.

Note—Next year this Amusement Haven will have a lake of ten acres filled with many kinds of fish, and equipped for boating. Better get acquainted now.